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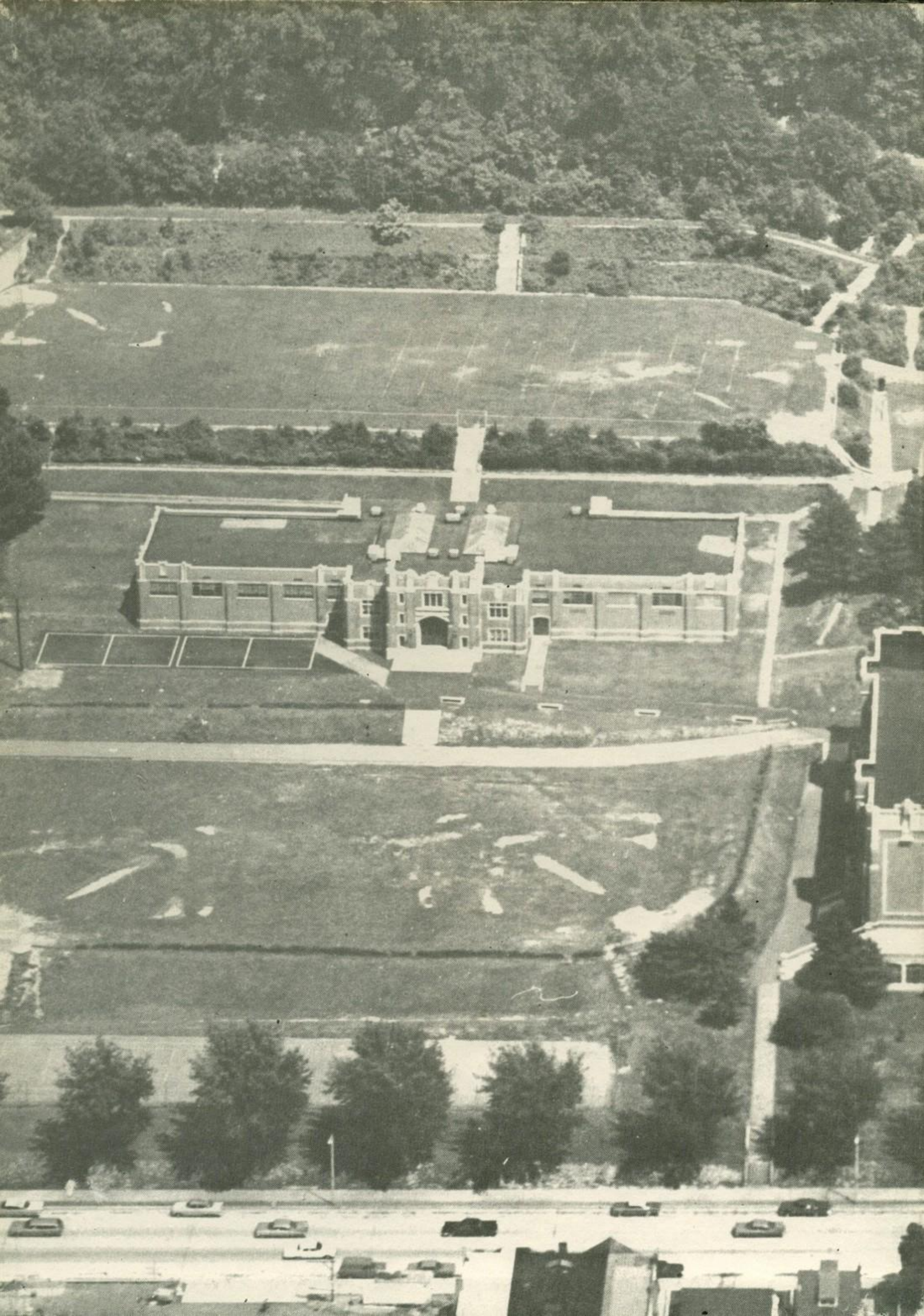

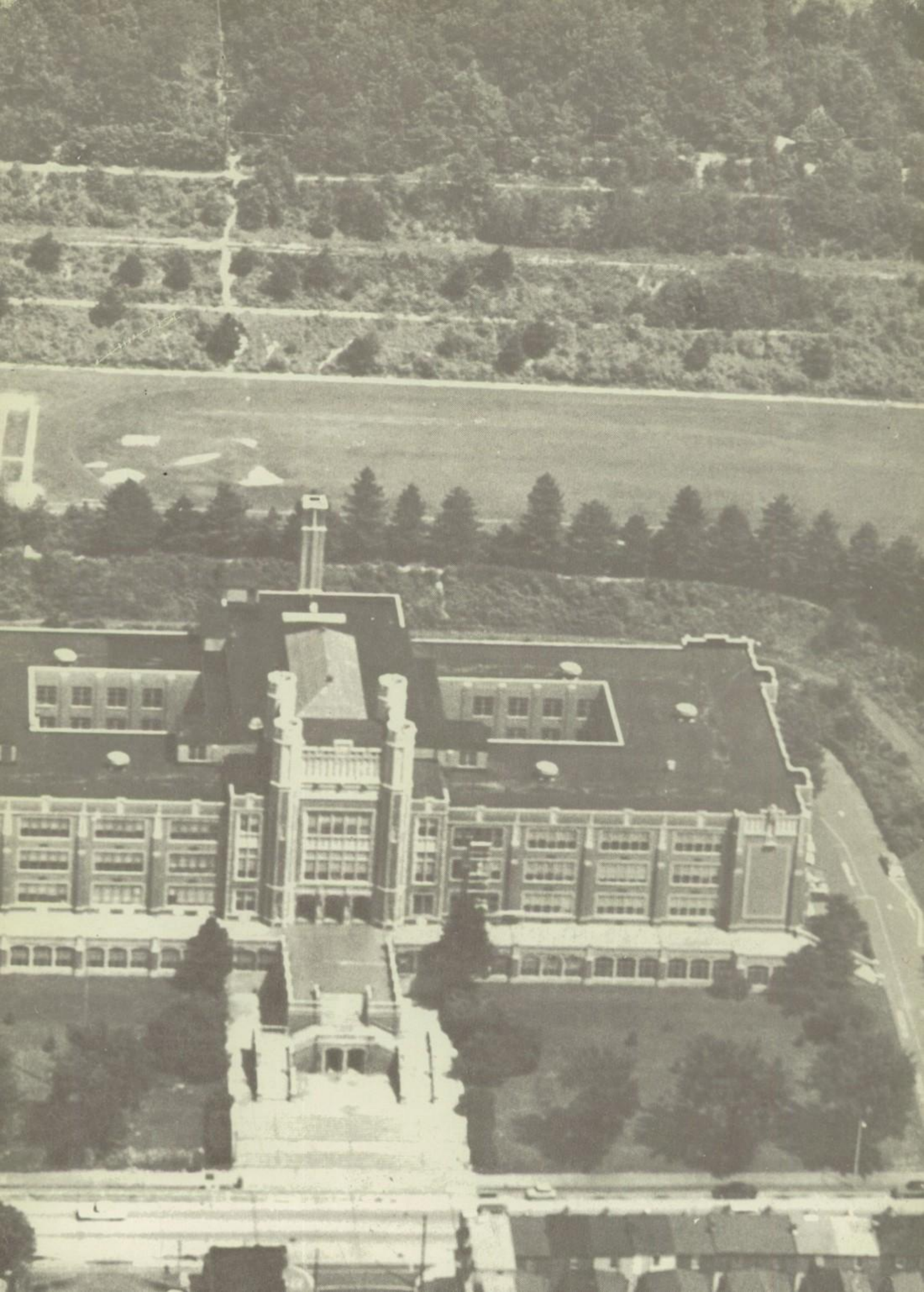

Jim)
To a really great guy whom I met at R.H.S. Try to forget those unbearable Chem. tests but A.R.M.
Janet Wetzel

Jim
One of my greatest allies at R.H.S. Never forget Chemistry class and how we used to get George!
Chuck
A.R.M.

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1968

Rating—Second

Columbia Scholastic Press Association
Columbia University
New York City, New York

Rating—Second

National Scholastic Press Association
University of Minnesota
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Rating—Good

National School Yearbook Association
Memphis, Tennessee

Rating—Second

Pennsylvania School Press Association
Freedom High School
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

Jim:
I hope your luck improves as the years drag on. Best luck in the future!
George

Jo a mean, nasty, and all around rotten Succ-hater. Git it Diego.

Always [redacted] remember the neat times we had in English and gym, and try to forget homeroom.

Git it good.

G. S. Rattray
the Man
of Bronze

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Foreword

As a fitting theme, we have selected symbols of medieval England to be used throughout the yearbook. Reading High School, affectionately nicknamed the "Castle on the Hill" has often had its students referred to as "Knights and Ladies." Now, we'd like the knight's headpiece and old English style print to remind the readers of this association.

In aspiring to attain knighthood, a lad in old England had a procedure to follow, and could only achieve his goal by proving himself worthy at each stage. So, we too, as students, must work diligently toward our goal in steps—from the elementary to the secondary school, and on to further education or to gain the experience necessary in reaching success.

When the Englishman was finally dubbed a knight, this did not mark the end to his career; instead, it was only the beginning of many years of service to his king with many adventures ahead of him. In the same sense, graduation should be thought of as the point at which a student can look back on his advances with pride, and ahead to a life full of challenging experiences.

Carol Collihan
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Senior Editor

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Managing Editor

Note of Appreciation

In his capacity as the official photographer for each senior class since 1953, Mr. Joseph Kravits has taken a total of over twelve thousand individual senior pictures of Castle students, and a much greater number of photos of curricular and extra-curricular activities at Reading High School for inclusion in the school's yearbooks.

As always, wherever and whenever the services of an official photographer were needed, he gladly did his part to make each publication a success.

On behalf of the "Class of 1969", we, as members of the Arxalma staff, would like to express our deep and sincere appreciation to him for his dedicated loyalty and service, and futhermore, we wish him continued success in the future.

"Arxalma Staff of 1969"

Mr. Joseph Kravits
Official Photographer for the "Class of 1969"

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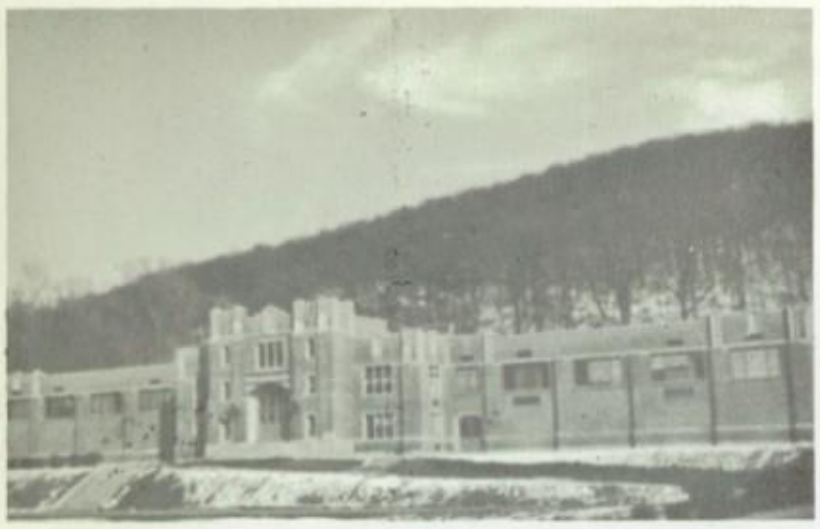

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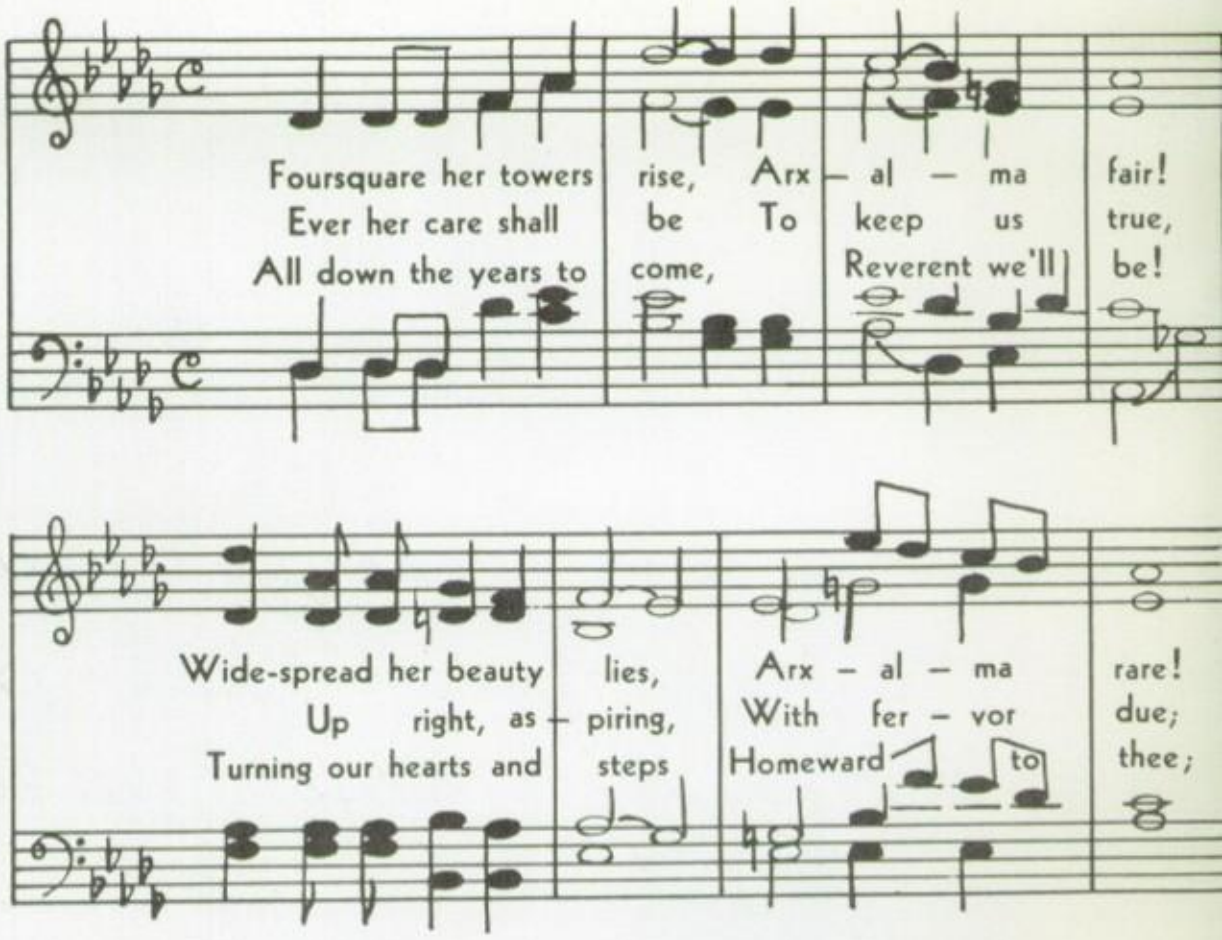

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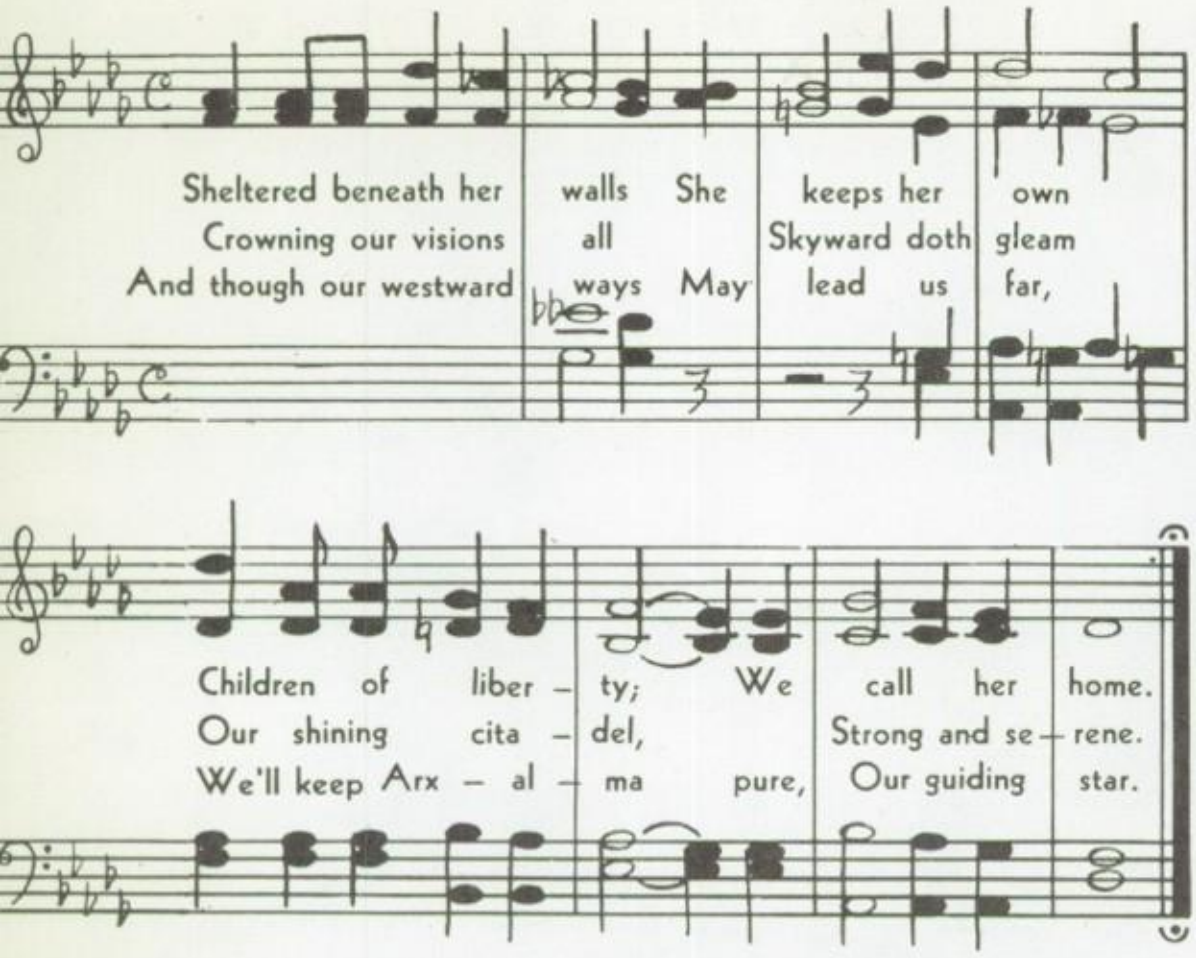
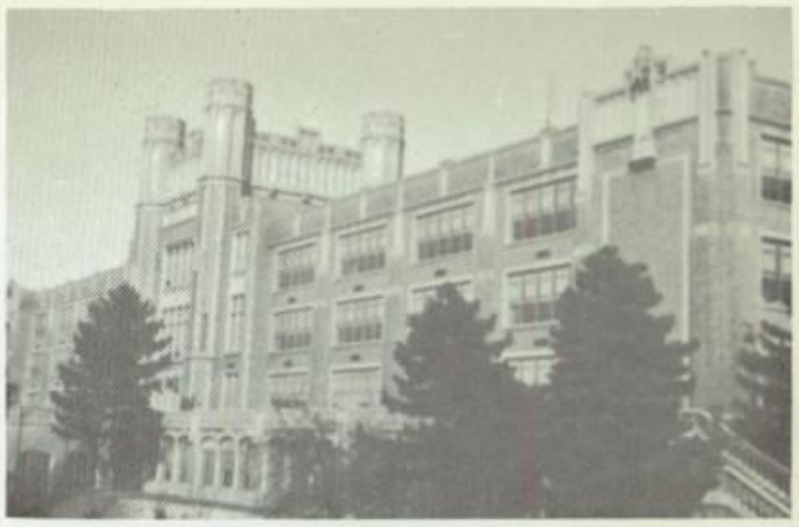
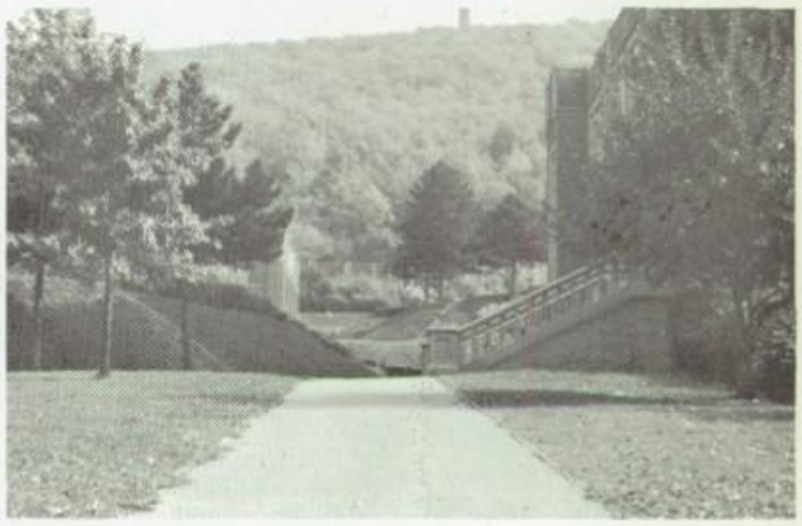
Luther W. Goodhart







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Great strides in education were made in the Reading School District this past year as a result of the continuous and dynamic action of the Board of Education. Long-range building plans which became realities involved the opening of five new schools. This included the four million dollar Reading Muhlenberg Vocational Technical School plus four new elementary schools, namely Thirteenth and Green, Twelfth and Marion, Tenth and Green, and Sixteenth and Haak. Special provisions made possible for the enrichment of the instructional program included the construction of a planetarium at the Reading Public Museum and Art Gallery, and the conversion of the Northmont annex into the first centralized audio-visual aids center for the entire district.

Too numerous to mention were the countless other routine and special matters completed by the school board this past year which enabled Reading's public school system to maintain its prominent position in the field of education.

Future plans of the Board include a massive athletic complex at the Castle, construction of a Northwest elementary school with a notarium, and an addition to the Lauer's Park elementary school.

Legal counselors selected to represent the Board were Mr. Terrence E. Conner as Solicitor and D. Frederick Muth as the Assistant Solicitor. Mr. Terrence E. Conner had previously held the position of Assistant Solicitor, but was named to his present post upon the death of Mr. John L. Rhoda, the former solicitor.

Administrators and Supervisors of the Reading School District

Superintendent of Schools

Dr. Ralph C. Geigle

Seated—Miss Anna L. Francis, Supervisor of Music, Kindergarten—Grades 1-3; Miss Violet Zimmerman, Supervisor of Nutrition; Mrs. Ruth E. Ash, Supervisor of Intermediate Grades; Miss Florence M. Seiders, Supervisor of Home Economics; Dr. Ralph C. Geigle, Superintendent of Reading Public Schools; Miss Katharine Kaufmann, Director of Physical Education; Mrs. Caroline Sanders, Supervisor of Kindergartens and Primary Grades; Mrs. Vera Auman, Supervisor of Music, Grades 4-6; *Standing*—Mr. B. Charles Elliott, Jr., Director of Museum and Art Gallery; Mr. B. Franklin Graeff, Director of Industrial Education; Mr. Richard Miller, Director of Guidance and Attendance; Mr. William I. Wenrich, Coordinator of Federal-State Relations; Mr. J. Roy Oberholtzer, Temporary Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent (Curriculum and Instruction); Mr. Robert P. Tschop, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent (Finance); Mr. K. Robert Hohl, Coordinator of Visual Education; Mr. Lorenzo A. Zeugner, Psychologist and Director of Special Education; Mr. Donald Reber, Director of Music; Mr. Augustus Monos, School Psychologist and Research Assistant; Mr. Vincent J. O'Bara, Director of Health and Physical Education, Grades 1-6; Mr. Robert J. Perugini, Director of Athletics; Mr. William H. Bernhart, Director of Public Relations; *Absent*—Dr. Harry Bentz, Supervisor of Art; Mr. Al Como, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent (Personnel); Mr. Richard Cahn, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent (Leave of Absence)

Members of this executive body provided their specific services in certain instructional areas and school-related fields on district-wide bases.

Professional personnel provided careful articulation, coordination and correlation in the curricular fields of art, home economics, industrial education and physical education for the elementary and secondary schools in the Reading School District.

Other well-qualified persons rendered their respective services in the categories of school nutrition, visual education, public relations, special education, attendance and guidance.

Two new administrative assistants were appointed to this body beginning with the 1968-69 school term. Mr. Robert Tschop was named as Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent on Finance. Mr. J. Roy Oberholtzer was made Temporary Administrative Assistant for curriculum and instruction for Mr. Richard Cahn who was on leave of absence to work on his doctorate.

In addition, Mr. Vincent J. O'Bara, was appointed as Director of Health and Physical Education in the elementary grades. This post was formerly held by Miss Katharine Kaufmann, who was made Director of Physical Education. Mr. Robert J. Perugini who previously held this position became Director of Athletics. Mr. Al Como, Director of Athletics last year, is now Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent of the Reading School District for Personnel.

Through the combined leadership of Dr. Ralph C. Geigle, Superintendent of Reading Public Schools and his administrative staff, citizens of Reading are assured of having a school system designed to meet the needs of the students and the community.

Jim,
a real
nice kid I
met at D.H.S. Good
luck in all you do.
A. J. A
Carol Phillips
'70

Faculty

Our Principal

Mr. Roland P. Kyle

Roland P. Kyle

Vice Principals

Mr. William C. Horine

Mr. William H. Clouser

Principal's Administrative Council

Administrative aspects of the comprehensive educational program at the Castle were handled by the Principal's Administrative Council. This group consisted of the principal, the two vice principals, eight department heads, and three department chairmen.

As in former years, the members of the council determined the general and specific school policies. In addition, throughout the year they analyzed and adopted those educational measures which they considered advantageous for the continuous enrichment of the school's curricular and extra-curricular activities.

Appointed to the council this year was Mr. Charles G. Thomas. He was made acting chairman of the industrial arts department which was reorganized at the Castle this year when the industrial vocational department was transferred to the new Reading - Muhlenberg Vocational Technical School.

Seated—Mrs. Hannah M. Orr, Chairman of the Home Economics Department; Miss Marion J. Moyer, Principal's Secretary; Mr. Roland P. Kyle, Principal; Mr. Theodore E. Starr, Head of the Science Department; Mr. R. Stuart Stump, Head of the Mathematics Department; Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach, Head of the Foreign Language Department; *Standing*—Mr. William S. Whiteley, Head of the Business Education Department; Mr. Harrison H. Stump, Chairman of the Physical Education Department; Mr. Joseph E. Haage, Head of the Guidance Department; Mr. William H. Clouser, Vice Principal; Mr. William C. Horine, Vice Principal; Mr. Owen James Davis, Head of the Social Science Department; Mr. Joseph G. Plank, Head of the English Department; *Absent*—Mr. Charles G. Thomas, Acting Chairman of the Industrial Arts Department

Guidance Department

Department Head—
Mr. Joseph E. Haage

Personal counseling was provided by the department in the areas of social adjustment, curriculum selection, college entrance requirements, subject difficulties and vocational careers.

Group guidance was offered to the students in such special departmental activities as College Night, the social living classes, the senior forums on marriage, and an assembly program for sophomores and juniors concerning career and curriculum choices. Career Day, another annual group activity, which was scheduled for Tuesday, November 12, 1968, was cancelled because of inclement weather.

During one of the department meetings, Mr. Joseph E. Haage and members of his staff evaluated some new publications available in the guidance field.

Miss Mary A. Capallo; Mr. Joseph E. Haage, department head; Mr. Connard C. Cramp; Mr. Clinton D. Getz; Mrs. Josephine S. Snyder

One of Mrs. Josephine S. Snyder's tasks as twelfth grade guidance counselor was to see that all seniors' records met the graduation requirements.

Mrs. Josephine S. Snyder, guidance counselor; Richard Debiec

At schedule time, Mr. Connard C. Cramp, the eleventh grade counselor, gives two industrial education boys additional information about the advanced courses available at the Reading-Muhlenberg Technical School.

Mr. Connard C. Cramp, guidance counselor; David Davies, David Bottiglieri

Guidance Department

Department Head—
Mr. Joseph E. Haage

Sophomores at Reading High School received individual advice in planning schedules from Miss Mary A. Capallo, the tenth grade guidance counselor.

Kathleen Daub, Miss Mary A. Capallo, guidance counselor

Two college-bound students seek professional advice about college requirements from Mr. Clinton D. Getz, the Castle's college consultant.

Sandra Wise; Mr. Clinton D. Getz, college consultant; John Printz

Before entering the auditorium, participants of the College Night Panel paused briefly to discuss last minute details of the program.

Mr. Edward Tull, Office of Economic Opportunity; Mr. Connard C. Cramp, guidance counselor at Reading High School; Dr. Samuel B. Shirk, Dean of Admissions of Albright College; Miss Mary Capallo, guidance counselor at Reading High School; Mr. Robert L. Shuman, Dean of Student Affairs, Berks Center, Penn State University; Mr. William A. Thompson, Business Manager of the Kutztown State College; Mr. Maurice R. Stauffer, Vice President of the Bank of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Sylvia M. Bergman, Moderator, Family Money Counseling Service; Dr. S. J. Johnson, Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency

One of the unique services of the department was to provide the means whereby Castle students could receive home bound instruction.

Mr. Edgar R. Miller, homebound instructor; Mr. Joseph E. Haage, head of the guidance department

English Department

Department Head—
Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Highlighting the department's extra-curricular activities were field trips to Stratford, Connecticut, on Monday, November 4, 1968, where Castle students saw "Love's Labour Lost," performed by a professional acting group, and to the Eugene O'Neil Theater in New York on February 19, 1969, where students viewed a performance of the Canterbury Tales.

Kay C. Cronrath, a reporter of the Red and Black newspaper, earned a National Gold Key Award in a current events quiz given by the Quill and Scroll Society.

Annually, the English curriculum is enriched and expanded as a result of newly-acquired audio-visual aids.

Seated—Miss Anna V. Wheeler, Miss Gloria L. Rodgers, Mrs. Beverly Zielaskowski, Mrs. Joyce Ciatto, Mrs. Patricia Loring; *Standing* — Mr. Bertolet M. Bossler, Mr. H. Robert Barrett, Mr. William A. Burkhart, Mr. Norbert P. Billinger, Mr. Thomas W. Cadmus, Jr., Mr. Paul Barclay, Mr. James Wardrop, Mr. Robert K. Mattern, Mr. James T. Reedy, Mr. John I. Allison, Mr. Samuel T. Frankhouser, Mr. Charles W. Anderton, Mr. Joseph G. Plank, department head; *Absent*—Mrs. Elizabeth Goodwin

Six seniors participated in the Twelfth Annual Robert S. Birch Memorial Speaking Contest held on Thursday, February 27, 1969, in the music room at Reading Senior High School.

Seated—Sharon Harms, Louise Vogel, second place winner; *Standing* — Frederick Kistler, Michael Palm, Nathan Kuperstock, first place winner; Peter Stelmach, third place winner

Red and Black, the school's newspaper, kept the student body and community well-informed of school activities throughout the year.

James Littlejohn, business manager; Joyce Koller, editor-in-chief; Julie Parker, feature editor; William Boyer, sports editor; Gail Roberts, news editor

English Department

Department Head—
Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Worthy of note this year was the fact that eight members of the publication staffs of the Castle were named for membership in the Quill and Scroll Society, an international Honor Society for High School Journalists.

Each year members of the Arxalma assemble a written and pictorial chronicle of Castle life through the yearbook publication.

Seated—Rachel Bartlett, managing editor; Carol Collihan, editor-in-chief; Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, art sponsor; *Standing*—Sandra Wise, picture editor; Dianne Kunkelman, senior editor; Sandra Sparks, copy editor; Mr. Bertolet M. Bossler, editorial and business sponsor

Stimulating programs on "Knight Life," the school's television show, were featured on WRFY-TV, channel 5.

At desk—Spyridon Patton, master of ceremonies; *On chairs*—Louise Vogel, mistress of ceremonies; Mr. Chester Pilgrim, featured guest speaker from the Reading High School faculty

Outstanding creative writing material from the Castle students was published in the school's popular magazine—the Red Pen.

Diane Kase, poetry editor; Timothy Gable, short story editor; Karen Orth, essay editor; Robert Care, editor-in-chief; Jill Stump, art editor; JoAnne Marmarou, art member; Anthony Premici, publicity editor

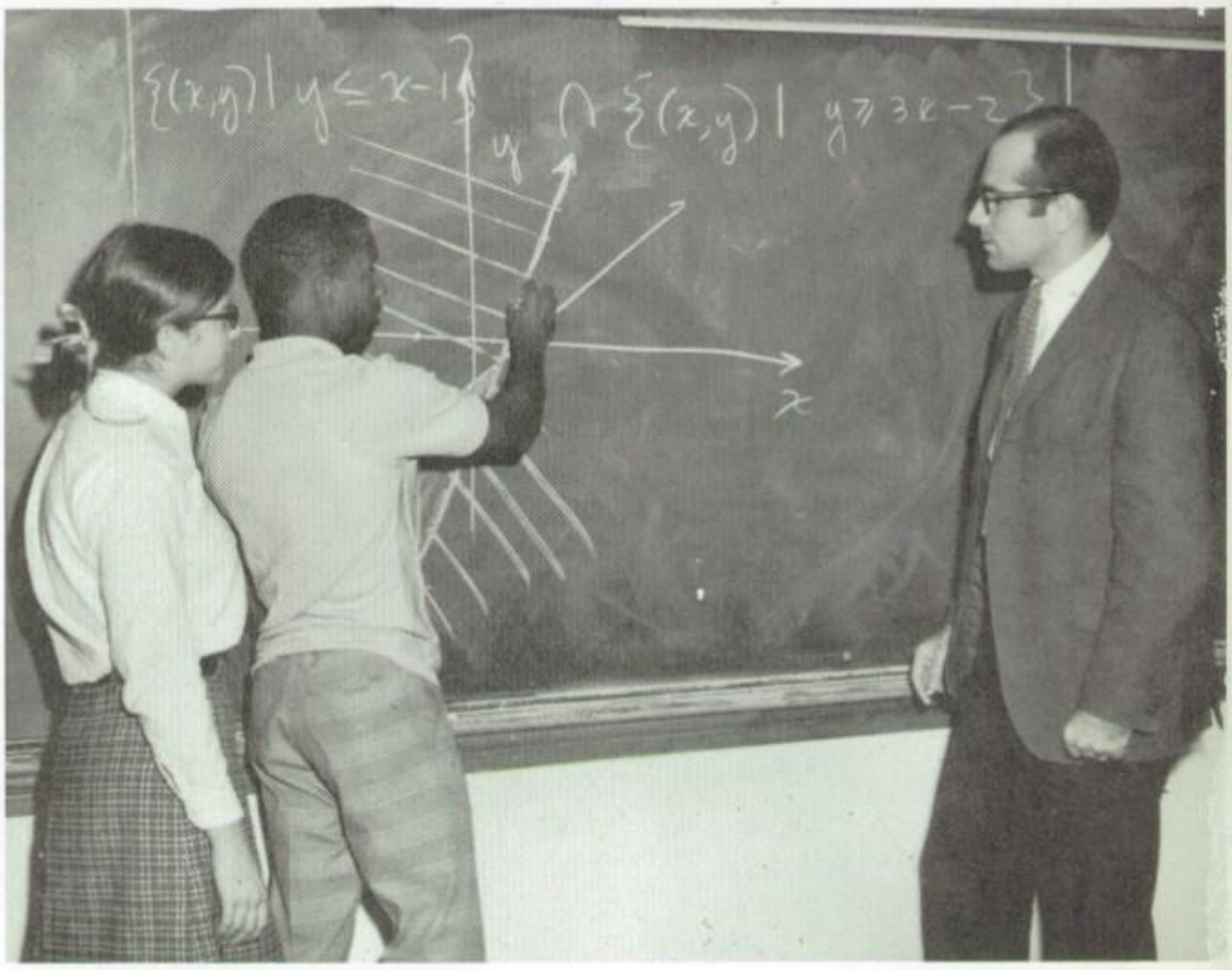
Mathematics Department

Department Head—
Mr. R. Stuart Stump

In the fall of 1968, four hundred and eighty mathematics students of Reading High School participated in the National High School Mathematics Contest sponsored by the Society of Actuaries and the Mathematics Association of America. Dennis Simon, presently a senior, placed highest among the Castle students entered in this contest in his junior year. For his outstanding achievement, he was named to the National Mathematics Honor Roll.

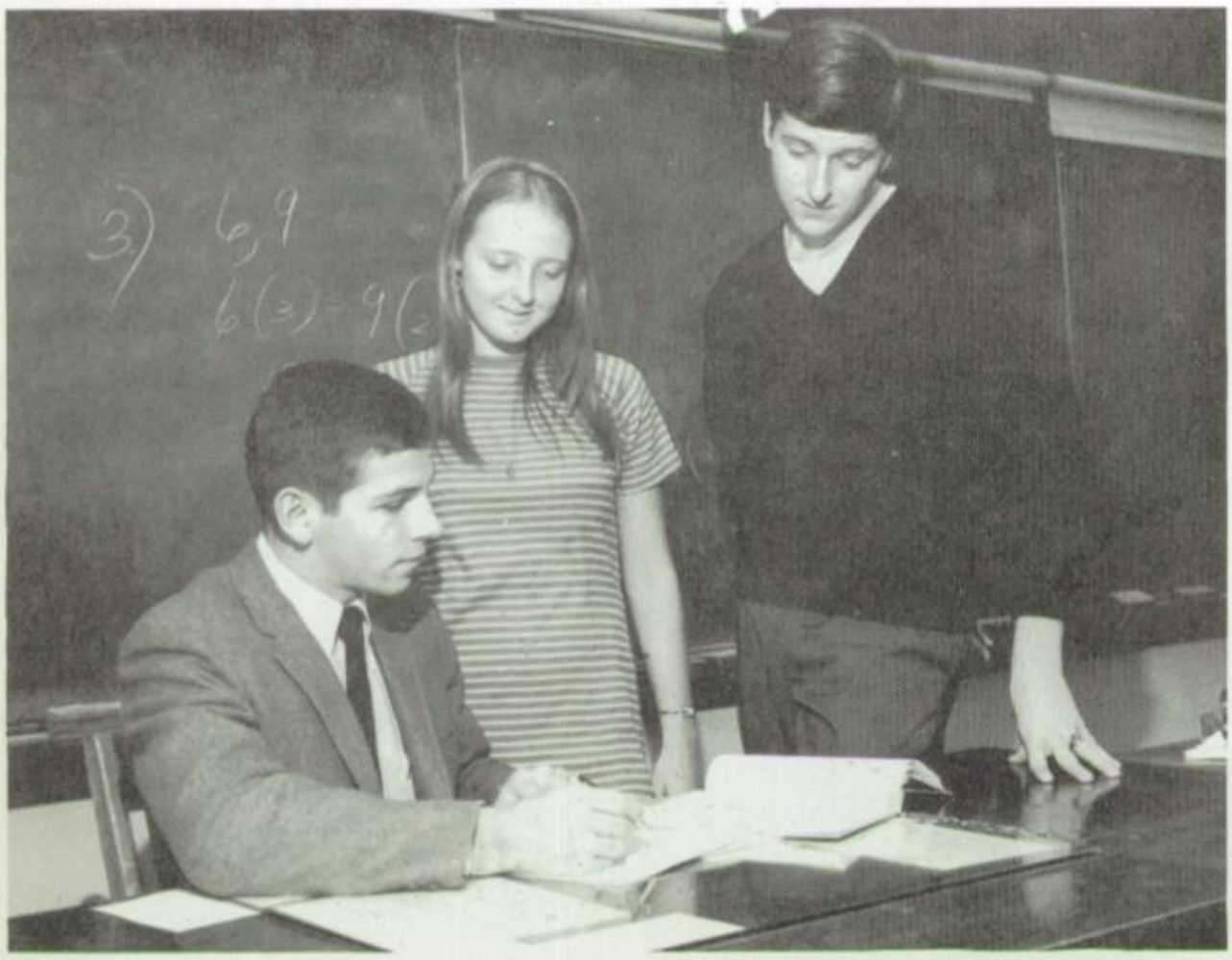
As head of the mathematics department, Mr. R. Stuart Stump introduces two new faculty members, Miss Shirley R. Gerber and Mr. Walter A. Oudinot, to his staff.

Seated—Miss Irene V. Roslin, Miss Carol L. Fegley, first semester; Mr. John L. Sharadin; *Standing*—Mr. Karl A. Morgan, Mr. James H. Adams, Mr. Frank Stevenson, Jr., Mr. Jeffrey E. Gattone, Mr. Carl E. Boltz, Mr. John J. Heckman, Mr. Walter A. Oudinot, Miss Shirley R. Gerber, Mr. R. Stuart Stump, department head; *Absent* — Miss Elizabeth A. Respach, second semester; *Leave of Absence*—Mr. Anthony J. Carabello



In teaching his algebra classes, Mr. Jeffrey E. Gattone made effective use of the blackboard to help students gain valuable experience in working graph problems.

Lynn Manmiller, Gerald Robinson, Mr. Jeffrey E. Gattone, instructor



According to his students' needs, Mr. Walter A. Oudinot provided individual instruction to pupils of his basic mathematics classes.

Seated—Mr. Walter A. Oudinot, instructor; *Standing*—Victoria Huff, Juan Patrick

Science Department

Department Head—
Mr. Theodore E. Starr

New equipment acquired this year included a Mettler Balance to measure small masses, a Spectronic "20" to determine the spectra of chemical specimens, and a 1000 times magnification compound microscope.

Extra-curricular activities of this department included the sponsorship of the Future Scientists of America Club. Special projects of the club consisted of a tour through Carpenter Steel Company's laboratory on October 15, 1968, and a field trip through the Dental Pharmacy Building of Temple University on March 13, 1969.

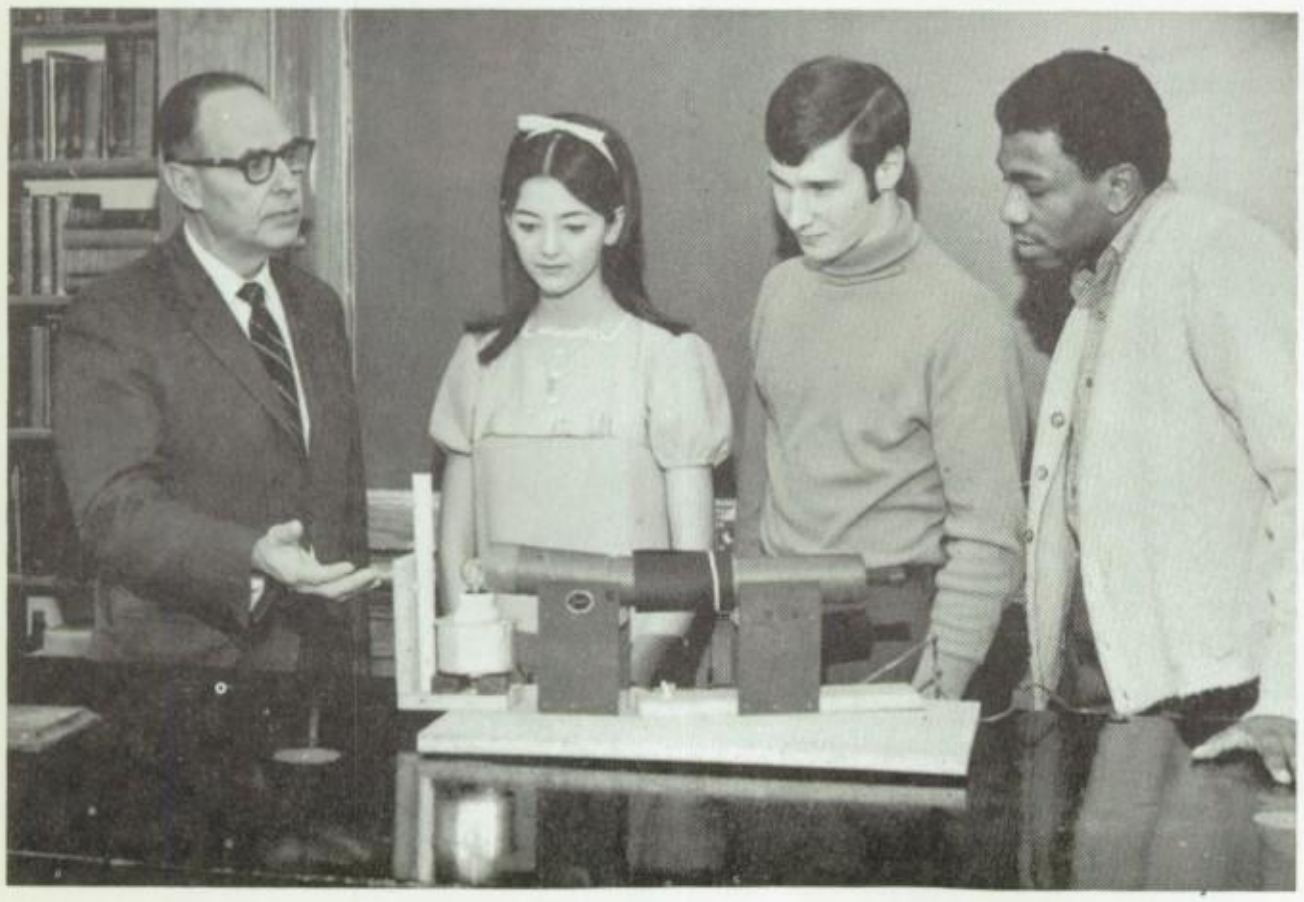
Throughout the year Mr. Theodore E. Starr, the department head, and members of his staff analyzed newly-published instructional materials for possible departmental use.

Seated—Mr. Robert E. Moyer, Mr. Charles A. Schaich, Miss J. Joan Angstadt, Mr. Lewis F. Marderness; *Standing*—Mr. Theodore E. Starr, department head; Mr. Robert L. Dipipi, Mr. Richard K. Scaife, Mr. Leslie D. Fleischood, Mr. Matthew J. Spence, Mr. John E. Sheetz, Jr., Mr. Ronald C. Dunkelberger; *Absent*—Mr. James A. Carpousis

Lots of Success!
R. E. Moyer

Frequently, Miss J. Joan Angstadt used various visual aids in her tenth grade biology class to supplement her classroom instruction.

Debra Norris, Craig Englehart, Lynn Shollenberger, Miss J. Joan Angstadt, instructor



Demonstrations in Mr. Theodore E. Starr's physics classes helped students to learn the scientific concepts of physical science.

Mr. Theodore E. Starr, instructor; Robin Dunkelberger, Edward Ciemiewicz, Llewellyn Flowers

Social Science Department

Department Head—
Mr. Owen James Davis

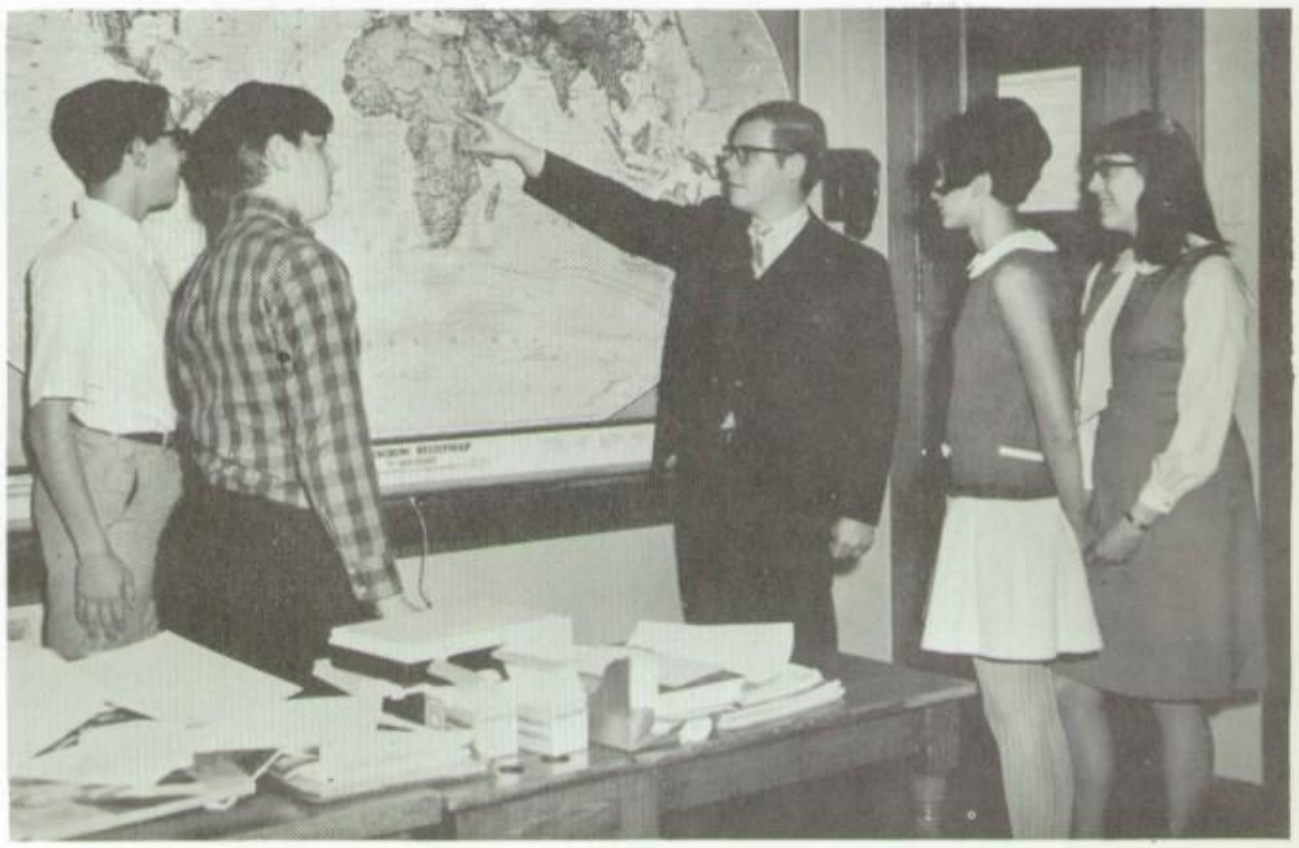
Curriculm enrichment consisted of the institution of a two period a week elective in Negro history, and the introduction of the inquiry approach technique in a number of world cultures and problems of democracy classes. In addition, a secretarial track was established in other problems of democracy classes to give stenographic students a broader background in economics.

Field trips included visitations to the Court House, the State Capitol, the sewage treatment plant, and the water plant.

At mid-term, Mr. D. Michael Klahr took the place of Mr. Harold F. Roles who retired.

At one of the weekly meetings, Mr. Owen J. Davis, department head and members of his staff discussed the evaluation of new textbooks.

Seated—Mr. Harold F. Roles, first semester; Mr. John W. Hartung, Mr. Jess F. Cwilinski, Mrs. Vivian Altman, Miss Marjorie B. Geiss; *Standing*—Mr. William Mileshosky, Mr. Gerald K. Bricker, Mr. George Gamber, Mr. James A. Auchenbach, Mr. Thomas A. Fox, Mr. Max A. Missbach, Jr., Mr. Ronald L. Spickler, Mr. Joseph Ambrose, Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr., Mr. Anthony P. Stopper, Mr. Daniel Tucci, Mr. Deomidas H. Koursaros, Mr. Owen J. Davis, department head; *Absent*—Mr. D. Michael Klahr, second semester; Mrs. Carole Koursaros, leave of absence



Mr. James A. Achenbach often utilized a variety of audio-visual aids to encourage his world culture classes to develop broader perspective concepts of world relationships.

Jeffrey Brok, Anthony Cipolla, Mr. James A. Achenbach, instructor; Michele Flammer Eva Beears

Mr. Thomas A. Fox used highly informative charts to help his students grasp the basic principles in his problems of democracy history classes.

Karen Walker, Sheridan Wise; Mr. Thomas A. Fox, instructor

Before the new student teachers received their basic orientation, they were introduced to other members of the foreign language staff by Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach, department head.

Seated—Miss Sara Sharadin, Miss Christine Mavreles, Mrs. Betty Owen Hand; *Standing*—Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach, department head; Alice Kane, Spanish student teacher; Carmela Capellupo, French student teacher; Mrs. Theana K. Sheetz, Mr. Otto W. Voit, Mr. Salvatore P. Orlando, Mr. Edward Becker

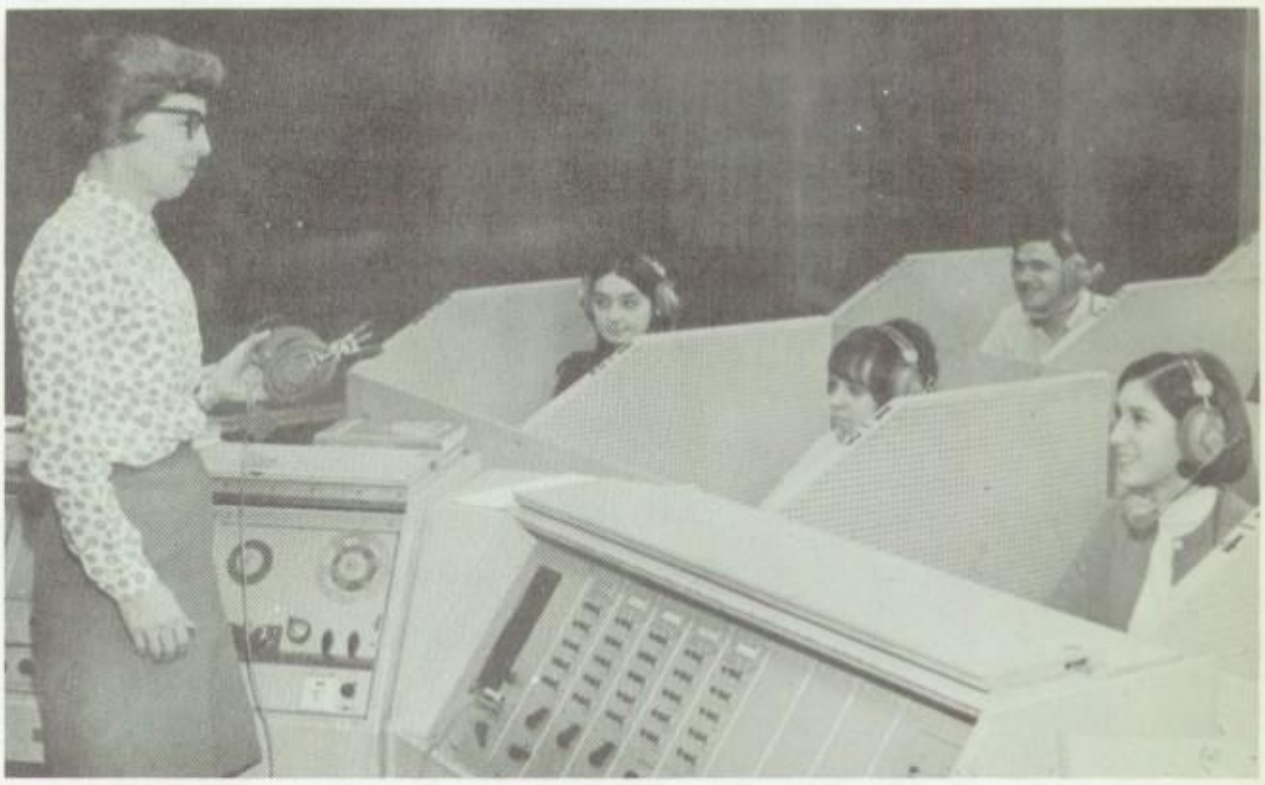
Foreign Language Department

Department Head—
Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach

As in previous years basic and advanced courses were offered in Latin, Spanish, Russian, French, and German.

Worthy of note is the fact that eight students from the French classes of Reading High School went to Moravian College in Allentown, Pennsylvania to take national tests administered by the American Association of Teachers of French. Last year Priscilla Beears won a second place award in the regional test given by the national organization.

Extra-curricular activities sponsored through this department were German Club, French Club, and Russian Club. In addition, the department held its sixth annual Roman Banquet on April 14, 1969, in the Crystal Restaurant.



Frequently, Mrs. Betty O. Hand and the other lanquage teachers used the facilities of the language laboratory to supplement their classroom teaching.

At controls—Mrs. Betty O. Hand, teacher; *Row 1*—Diane Kalbach, Judy Young, Maureen Trump; *Row 2*—Christ Kraras

Through daily blackboard drills, Mrs. Theana K. Sheetz, instructor, helped students to learn the basic concepts of Spanish I.

Row 1—Denise Galles; *Row 2*—Brenda Price, Kim Schwartz, Gregory Geiger; *Standing* — Phyllis Rozanski, Cindy Leisey, Mrs. Theana K. Sheetz, instructor

Business Education Department

Department Head—
Mr. William S. Whiteley

Students at Reading High School who wished to prepare for careers in the business field could select one of three areas of study, namely the secretarial, bookkeeping, or clerical fields.

During the first department meeting, Mr. William S. Whiteley introduced Miss Jeanne M. Wentzel, a new commercial teacher, to his staff.
Seated—Mrs. Mabel J. Davis, Mrs. Roumal Chisholm, Miss Patricia C. Sands, Mrs. Doris M. Shafer, Mrs. Julia F. Sabol, Miss Edith R. Fairlamb, Miss Barbara J. Graeff; *Standing*—Mr. William S. Whiteley, department head; Miss Jeanne Wentzel, Mr. Edwin R. Madenford, Mr. Ronald J. Lubas, Mr. Thurwald Gommer, Mr. Leon H. Shultz, Mr. Mark R. Guthrie, Mr. Phillip W. Moore.

In order that they would be adequately prepared for their future careers, Mrs. Julia F. Sabol gave her clerical practice students opportunities to get experience on a variety of office machines.
Seated—Linda Baer, Roderick Ulrich; *Standing* — Mrs. Julia F. Sabol, instructor

In her shorthand classes, Mrs. Mabel Davis often provided individualized instruction in addition to her regular classroom teaching:
Mrs. Mabel J. Davis, instructor; Juliann Buzalewski, Arthur Singleton

Business Education Department

Department Head—Mr. William S. Whiteley

Pertinent facts about the business world including how to buy stocks and bonds were learned in Mr. Ronald Lubas' consumer education classes.

Mr. Ronald Lubas, instructor; Joyce Koller, Donna Knarr, Alvin Scott

Frequent time drills made by Mrs. Roumal Chisholm enabled her students to develop speed and accuracy in typing.

Judith Young; Mrs. Roumal Chisholm, instructor

In follow-up exercises, Miss Jeanne Wentzel often supervised her students as they checked their bookkeeping computations with office machines.

Miss Jeanne Wentzel, instructor; Rena Lehr, Carol Young, Richard Debiec

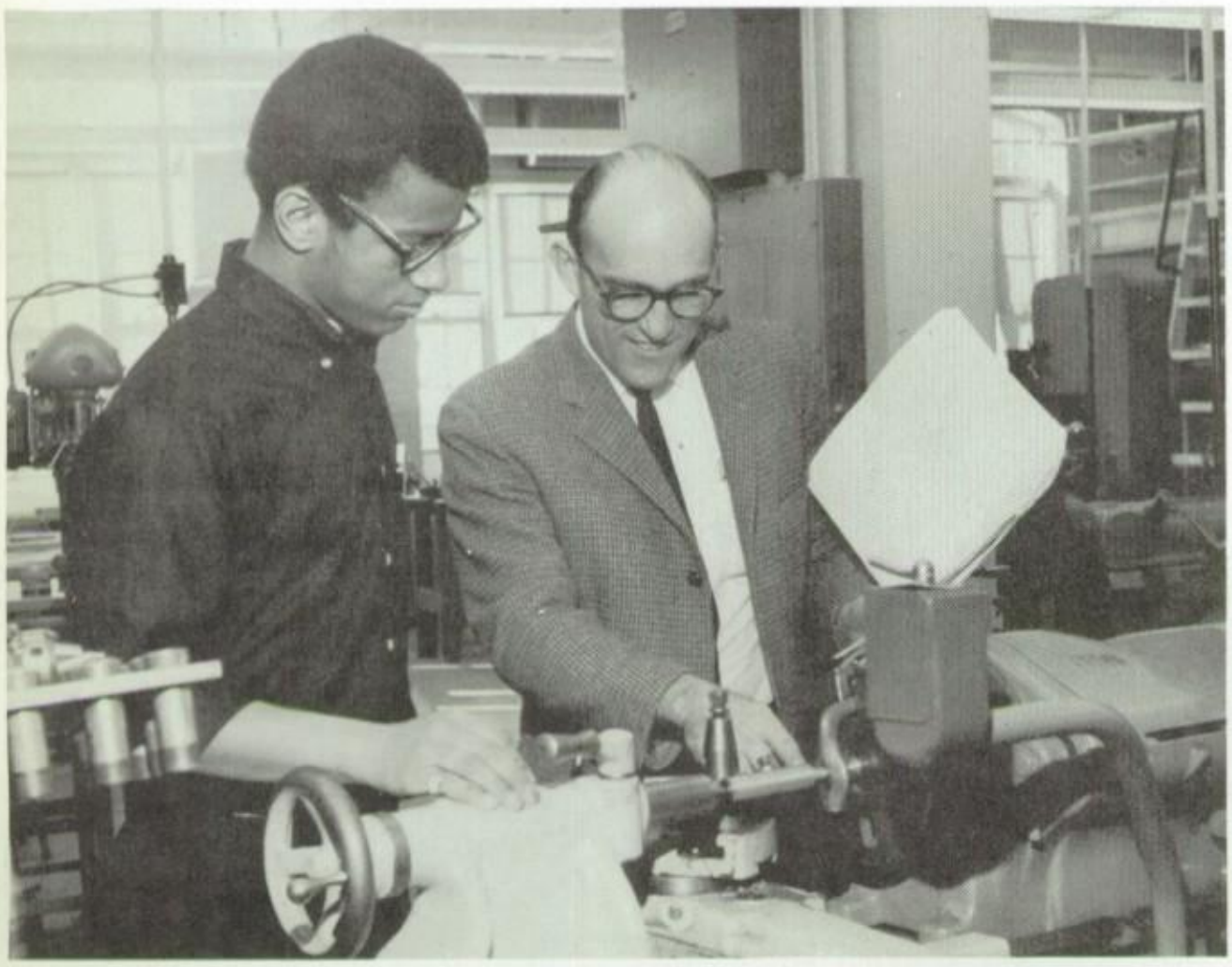
Mrs. Doris Shafer's two period a week typing classes gave college preparatory students opportunities to develop skills in typing for college use.

Mrs. Doris Shafer, instructor; Douglass Rhoads, Marsha Scott

Reading High School

At one of the staff meetings, Mr. Charles G. Thomas, the acting chairman, explained the procedure to be followed in completing departmental evaluation.

Mr. Charles G. Thomas, acting chairman; Mr. James W. McIntyre, Mr. Harry E. Mack, Jr., Mr. William I. Haney



General Metals

Blacksmithing . . . Foundry . . . Forging . . . Jewelry . . . Welding . . . Art Metal . . . Sheet Metal . . . Machine Work . . . Gem Cutting and Polishing

Craig Page, Mr. Harry E. Mack, instructor

Power Technology

Hydraulics . . . Optics . . . Design . . . Electricity . . . Rocketry . . . Small Gas Engines . . . Materials Testing . . . Model Making . . . Materials of Industry . . . Industrial Methods and Processes

Mr. Harry E. Mack, instructor

Industrial Education

Reading High School

Acting Chairman—
Mr. Charles G. Thomas

Within the last five years, great strides have been made in the industrial education program for Reading High School students. In the 1963-64 school term, ten courses were offered in industrial education on the Castle's ground floor, namely carpentry, cabinet making, electrical construction and maintenance, electronics, metal fabrication, auto mechanics, printing, drafting, and machine courses. In September of 1964, the Northmont annex was opened to provide five additional instructional areas of auto mechanics, building maintenance and repair, upholstery, small appliance repair, and architectural drawing. This brought the total number of courses in the industrial program to fifteen.

Recently with the opening of the Reading-Muhlenberg Technichal School in September 1968, twenty-eight comprehensive courses were offered to Reading High School students taking the vocational-technical curriculum. These include the Castle's industrial vocational shops which were transferred to the new school. Afterwards, only a reorganized industrial arts program was provided at Reading High School for this curriculum. Shops at the Castle were remodeled and modernized, and instruction was available in the course areas of graphic arts, general metals, general drafting, power technology, and general wood.

Reading High School's combined industrial program, encompassing the most modern equipment and facilities, adequately provides the means for industrial students to prepare for today's world of industry and technology.

Industrial Education

Reading High School

General Wood

Cabinetmaking . . . . Carpentry . . . . Ceramics . . . . Decorating . . . . Painting . . . . Plastics . . . . Cement Work . . . . Wood Carving

Mr. Charles G. Thomas, instructor; Anthony Minicozzi

Graphic Arts

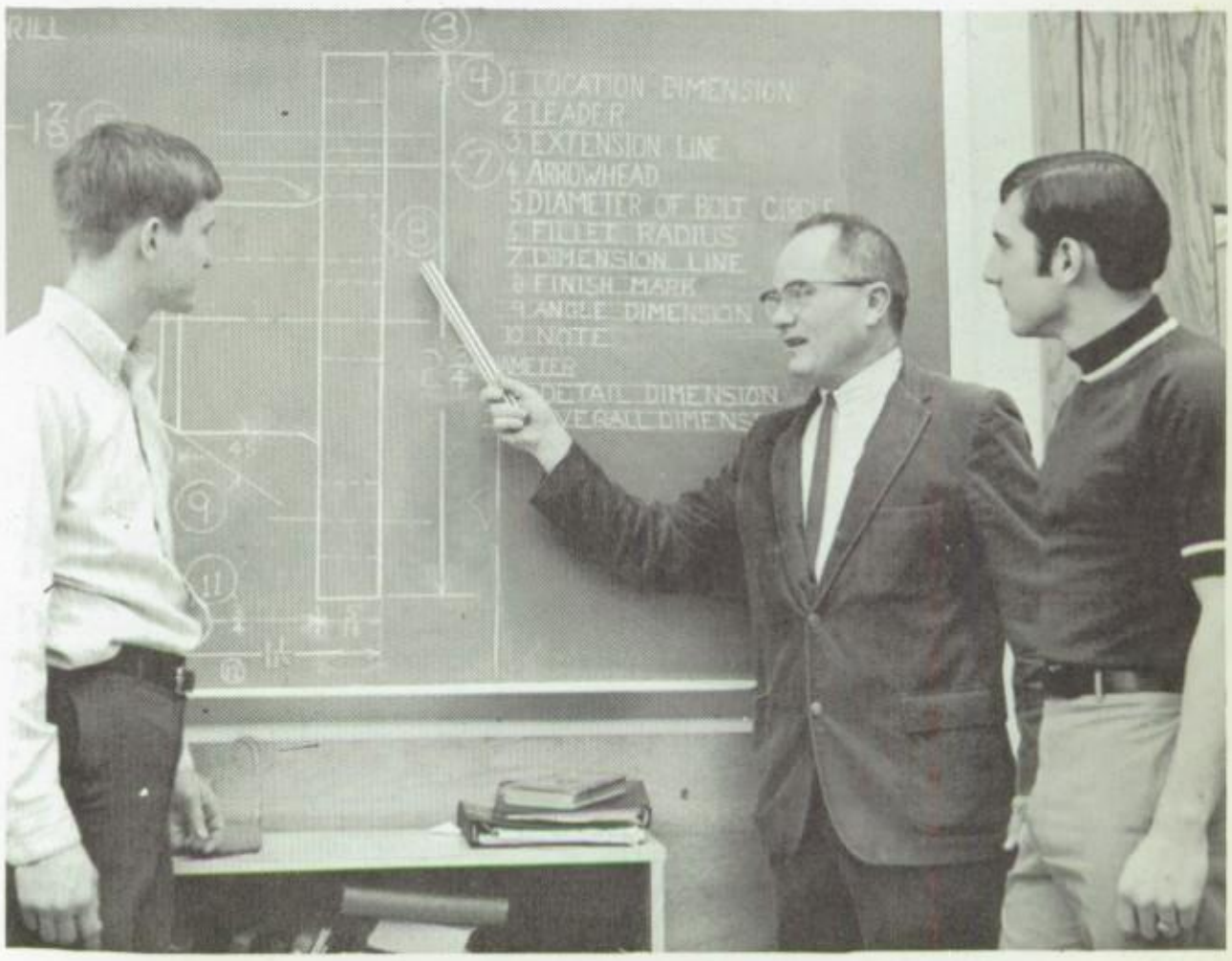
Etching . . . . Letterpress . . . . Photography . . . . Bookbinding . . . . Offset Lithography . . . . Block Printing . . . . Sign Making . . . . Commercial Art . . . . Silk Screen

David Stevenson, Mr. William I. Haney, instructor; Joseph Cafoncelli, Lawrence Lonergan

General Drafting

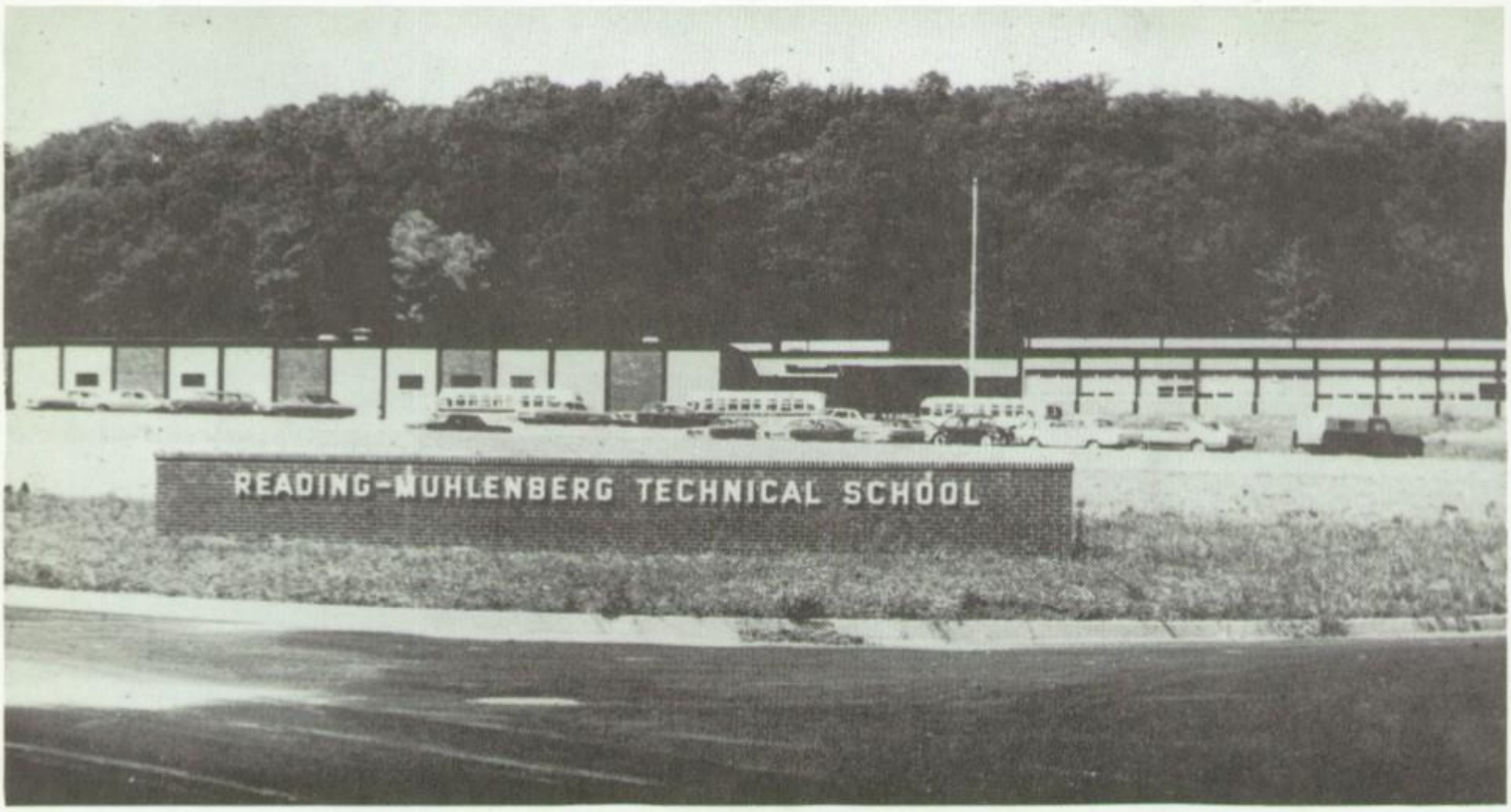
Architectural . . . . Duplication . . . . Blueprint Reading . . . . Machine Drafting . . . Free Hand Sketching . . . . Technical Reading . . . . Sheet Metal . . . . Model Making

Thomas Seibert, Mr. James W. McIntyre, instructor; Dennis Fisher



Industrial Education

Reading-Muhlenberg Area Vocational-Technical School



Shown above is a front view of the Reading-Muhlenberg Technical School located on Bilmar near Spring Valley Road, Muhlenberg Township, Berks County, Pennsylvania.

Reading-Muhlenberg Technical School Joint School Committee

Mr. Foster W. Evans, *Chairman*
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Administrative

Superintendent of The Technical School

1968	1969
Dr. Ralph C. Geigle Reading School District	Dr. Charles C. Wepsic Muhlenberg Township School District

Mr. Charles H. Matters, *Director of the Technical School*
Mr. George A. Schieck, *Coordinator of Instruction*
Mr. Walter A. Griesemer, *Coordinator of Pupil Services*
Mr. Joseph J. Grande, *Coordinator of Industry*

Instructional Staff

Teacher	*Instructional Area*
Mr. Salvatore Aquila	*Textiles and Clothing*
Mr. Edgar R. Barr	*Sheet Metal*
Mr. Glenn R. Bigony	*Appliance Repair*
Mr. Charles Boyer	*Auto Body*
Mr. Richard I. Boyer	*Electronics*
Mr. Rosario Ciatto	*Carpentry*
Mrs. Alice DeTurk	*Power Sewing*
Mr. Norman R. Diener	*Letterpress Printing*
Mr. Dennis Eichley	*Offset Printing*
Mr. Richard P. Fisher	*Unit Record Equipment*
Mr. Richard Eisenhower	*Cabinet Making*

Industrial Education

Reading-Muhlenberg Area Vocational-Technical School

Dedication ceremonies for the Reading-Muhlenberg Technical School were held in the cafetorium of the school on November 24, 1968.

Teacher	*Instructional Area*
Mrs. Valetta Eshbach	*Mathematics*
Mr. Julian G. French, Jr.	*Architectural Drafting*
Mr. Ronald Gernert	*Plumbing and Heating*
Mr. Robert Gettis	*Machine Shop*
Mrs. Vera S. Hackett	*Computer Technology*
Mr. Robert K. Hahn	*Building Maintenance*
Mr. Leroy G. Harris	*Electrical*
Mr. Earl Hinz	*Commercial Art*
Mr. Raymond G. Holt	*Upholstery*
Mrs. June Levandowski	*Distributive Education*
Mr. John R. Lilly	*Machine Shop*
Mr. John F. Miller	*Food Service*
Mr. John W. Moore	*Trowel Trades*
Mr. John R. Russell	*Food Service*
Mr. Barry L. Schell	*Industrial Chemistry*
Mrs. Dorothy Schoener	*Cosmetology*
Mrs. Helen M. Smith	*Health Assistant*
Mr. Walter T. Starr	*Automotive Trades*
Mr. Donald Strong	*Welding*
Mrs. Mary Ann Wendorf	*School Nurse*
Mr. Richard J. Willingmyre	*Automotive Trades*
Mr. Kerry M. Woodworth	*Machine Design Drafting*

Adult Practical Nursing Program

Mrs. Ann Muller	*Director*
Mrs. Janice Banks	*Instructor*
Mrs. Arleen Flemming	*Instructor*
Mrs. Eleanor Garis	*Instructor*
Mrs. Joan Grande	*Instructor*
Mrs. Anastasia Jakabcin	*Instructor*
Miss Anita B. Rapp	*Instructor*
Miss June R Terrey	*Instructor*

Reading-Muhlenberg Technical School Authority

Authority Board Members

Mr. Wilbur T. Latshaw, *Chairman*
Dr. Thomas H. Ford, *Vice Chairman*
Mr. Frank R. Scheid, *Secretary*
Mr. Cyril J. Heyen, *Assistant Secretary*
Mr. John L. Beaver, *Treasurer*
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Mr. Paul U. Koch, *Past Member*

Professional Advisory Council
1968-69

School Administrators

Reading

Dr. Ralph C. Geigle, *Superintendent*
Mr. Roland P. Kyle, *Principal*

Muhlenberg Township

Dr. Charles C. Wepsic, *Superintendent*
Mr. Kermit H. Schmehl, *Principal*

Reading-Muhlenberg AVTS
Charles H. Matters, *Director*

Musical instructors at the Castle and Mr. Donald Reber, Director of Music for the Reading School District, discuss choral and instrumental music to be used for the school's 130th commencement at the City Park Band Shell on June 5th, 1969.

Mr. Charles Lutz, choral instructor; Mr. Donald Reber, Director of Music for the Reading School District; Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, instrumental instructor

Music Department

Choral Instructor—Mr. Charles Lutz
Instrumental Instructor—
Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

Throughout the year the various instrumental and choral organizations of the department provided appropriate music for assembly programs and community functions.

Worthy of special note were the achievements earned by Reading High School's Marching Band and Auxiliary Units at the Forty-Second Annual Shenandoah Festival in Winchester, Virginia on Thursday, May 1, 1969 and Friday, May 2, 1969. In this competition, the Castle's groups won second place honors in the Fireman's Parade, and the same award in the Grand Feature Parade. In the latter event, Reading's entries competed with eighty-five other bands from fourteen states. Last year the band placed first in this activity.

Under the direction of Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, the instrumental director, several members of the violin section of the concert orchestra rehearse their respective parts for a forthcoming assembly program.

Row 1 — Priscilla Beears, Ellen Gifford, Marlene Bendrick; *Row 2*—Jacqueline Bensing, Sue Reifsnyder, Mary Ann Rowlands; *Standing*—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, instrumental instructor

Frequently, Mr. Charles Lutz, the choral instructor, utilized blackboard drills to explain fundamental principles of harmony to his students.

Seated — Peggy Schwartz, Jean Dunkelberger, Jeffery Miller, George Legler; *Standing* — Timothy Price, Curtis Henry, Ellen Uhrig, Mr. Charles Lutz, choral instructor

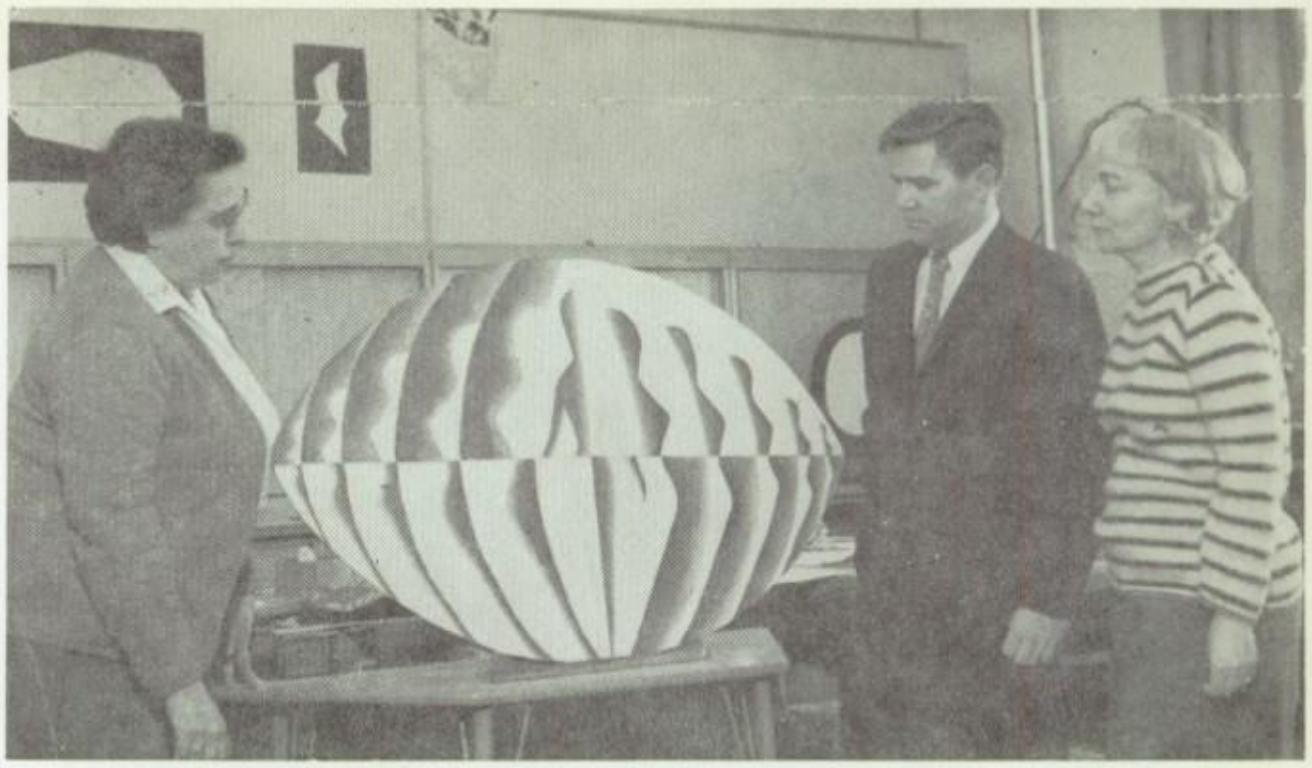
Art Department

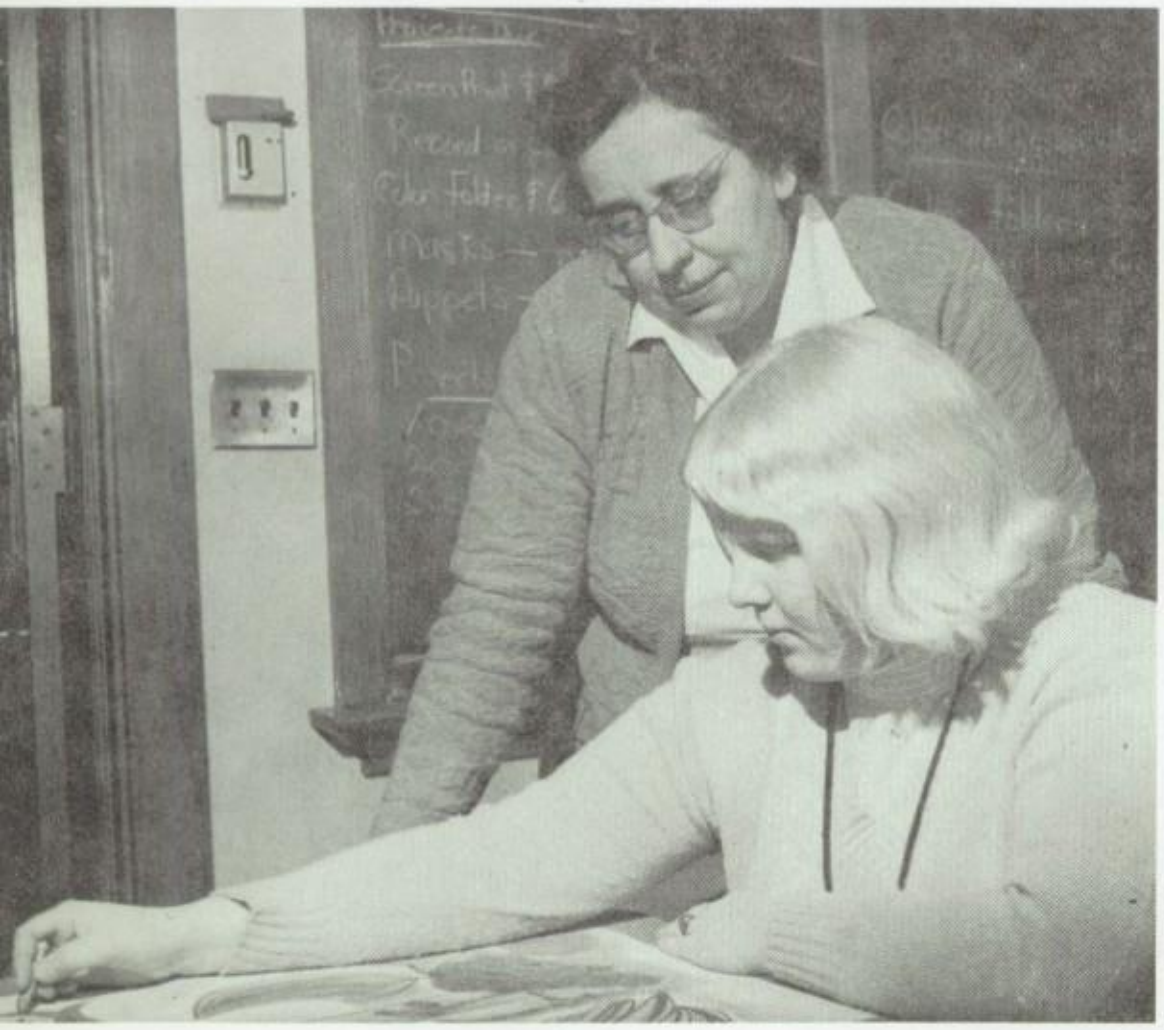
Instructors—
Miss Kathleen L. Reilly
Mrs. Palma Reynolds

Generally speaking, the art curriculum included areas of study in the commercial, general, and fine arts fields, plus a comprehensive program in crafts.

Other courses consisted of a yearbook designing elective and a newly-added two-period per week fine arts appreciation program.

Of special importance this past school term was the fact that students of the art department of Reading High School were chosen to design a mural to be placed in the Kennedy Memorial Fine Arts Building in Washington, D.C.





Throughout the year, members of the art department and Dr. Harry Bentz, Supervisor of Art for the Reading School District, carefully analyzed students' outstanding creative projects for display and competition.

Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, art instructor; Dr. Harry Bentz, Supervisor of Art for the Reading School District; Mrs. Palma Reynolds, art instructor

In addition to her extensive program of crafts, Miss Kathleen L. Reilly gave her art students countless opportunities to express and improve their artistic talent through numerous art activities.

Seated—Donna Miller; *Standing*—Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, instructor

Two Castle artists from Mrs. Palma Reynold's art classes designed and prepared the mural for exhibit in the Kennedy Memorial Fine Arts Building in Washington, D.C.

John Dreibelbis and Leroy Fick, student artists; *Absent*—Mrs. Palma Reynolds, instructor

Health Department

Chairman—Mr. Harrison H. Stump

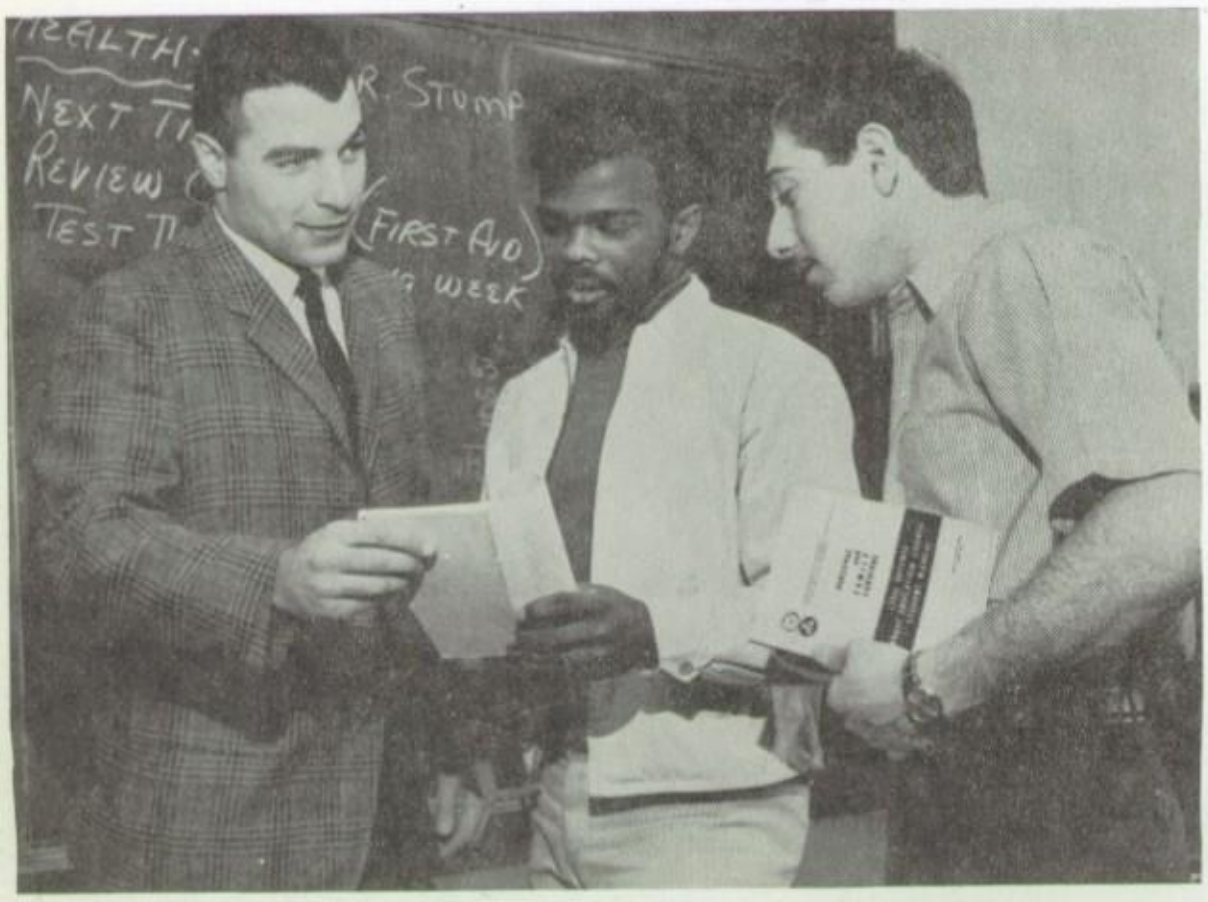
As in previous years, the health curriculum consisted of a comprehensive health course in tenth grade, a safety education program with optional driver training instruction in eleventh grade, and an advanced health curriculum including a Standard First-Aid course and Civil Defense unit in twelfth grade.

Following a traditional practice, any twelfth grade student who earned an average of 85 or above in the first-aid course was awarded a Standard First-Aid Red Cross Certificate.

New equipment acquired by this department included two hundred new first-aid textbooks to be used by tenth grade health students.

At one of the department meetings Mr. Harrison H. Stump, the chairman, introduced Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, the newly appointed Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District, to his staff.

Seated—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman, Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, Mr. James A. Ervin; *Standing*—Mr. James H. Gano, Mr. Jack C. Prutzman, Mr. Bernard Kaplan, Mr. George A. Pappas, Mr. Mark Snyder, Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District; Mr. Harrison H. Stump, chairman



For her tenth grade health classes, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey made frequent use of demonstrations to illustrate basic principles of first aid.

Susan Deibler, Debra Hassler, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, instructor; Bonnie Breidegam, Cynthia Good

In the mandated civilian defense unit of the twelfth grade course, Mr. Mark Snyder explains details of personal and family survival to two of his students.

Mr. Mark Snyder, instructor; George Davis, Dennis Oliviero

Health Services Department

School Nurses—Mrs. Ruth Heist, R.N.
Mrs. Jean Smith, R.N.
School Doctor—Dr. Lynwood Keller, M.D.
School Dentist—Dr. Anthony Pichini, D.D.S.

Basically, throughout the year members of the school nursing staff served Castle students, faculty members, and other personnel by providing first aid and nursing care as needed.

In addition, the registered school nurses made arrangements for administering the state mandated audiometric and vision tests to students of the sophomore and senior classes; physical and dental examinations for members of the junior class; and x-ray examinations for employees and the student body.

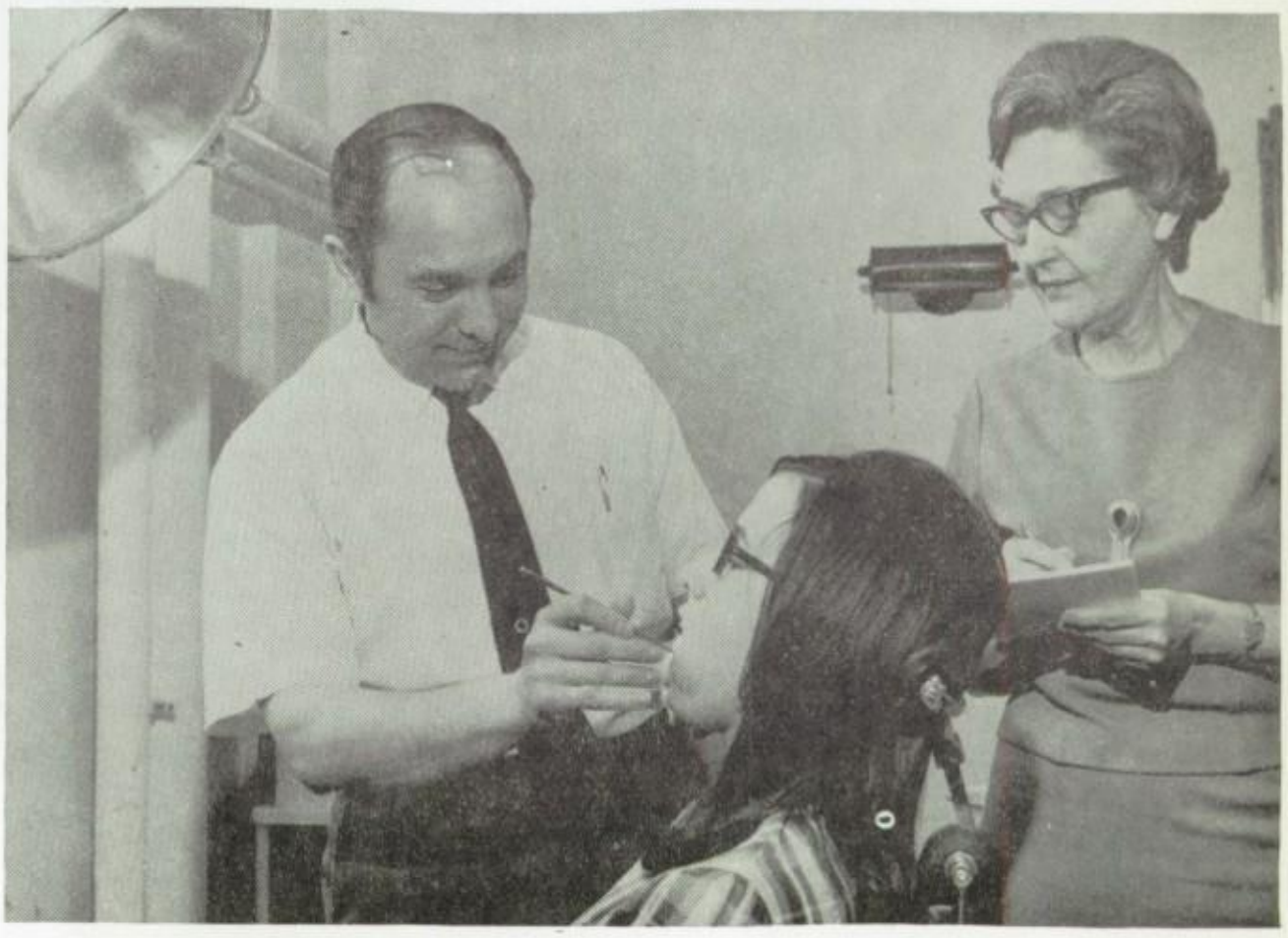
Extra-curricular activities of this department included the sponsorship of the Future Nurses of America Club for girls who were interested in future nursing careers.

One of the large scale clerical tasks for the school nurses was to keep the student health records up to date.

Standing—Mrs. Jean Smith, R.N.; *Seated*—Mrs. Ruth Heist, R.N.

Dr. Lynwood Keller, the school doctor, gave physical examinations to each eleventh grade student who did not have this service performed by his private physician.

Lester Glaze, eleventh grade student; Dr. Lynwood Keller, M.D., the school physician



Dental examinations were provided by Dr. Anthony Pichini, the school dentist, for those students who wanted the dental service at the school.

Standing — Dr. Anthony Pichini, D.D.S., the school dentist; Mrs. Dorothy Eberly, dental hygienist; *Seated*—Kathleen Cassidy, eleventh grade student

Physical Education Department

Chairman—Mr. Harrison H. Stump

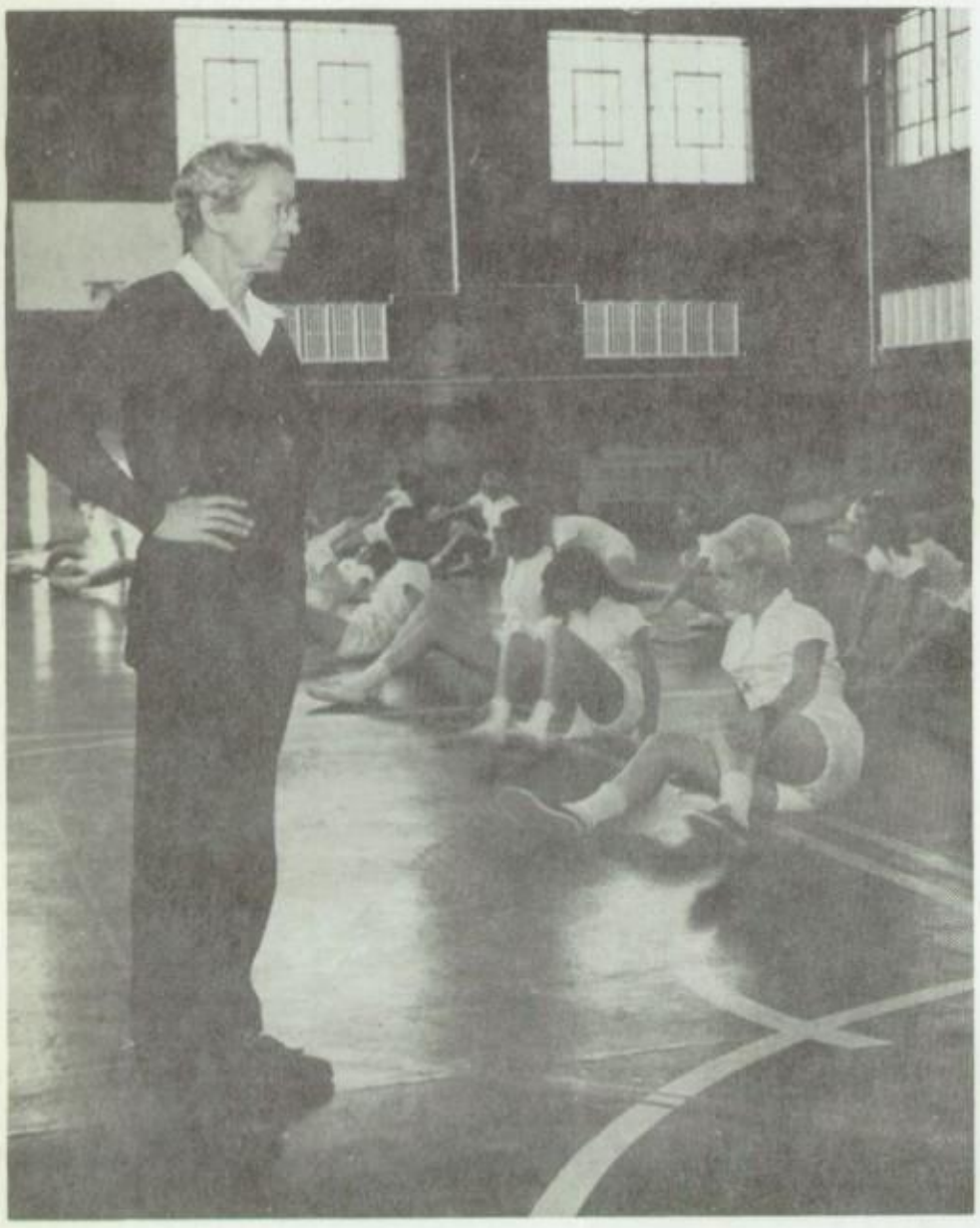
In the regular physical education classes, this department provided Castle students with an extensive curriculum of individual and group activities.

Two new extra-curricular sports programs, namely bowling and gymnastics, were sponsored by the department in addition to thirteen interscholastic sports, the three intramural sports for boys, and nine for girls.

Advanced physical electives were available for boys and girls who were interested in planning careers in physical education or related fields.

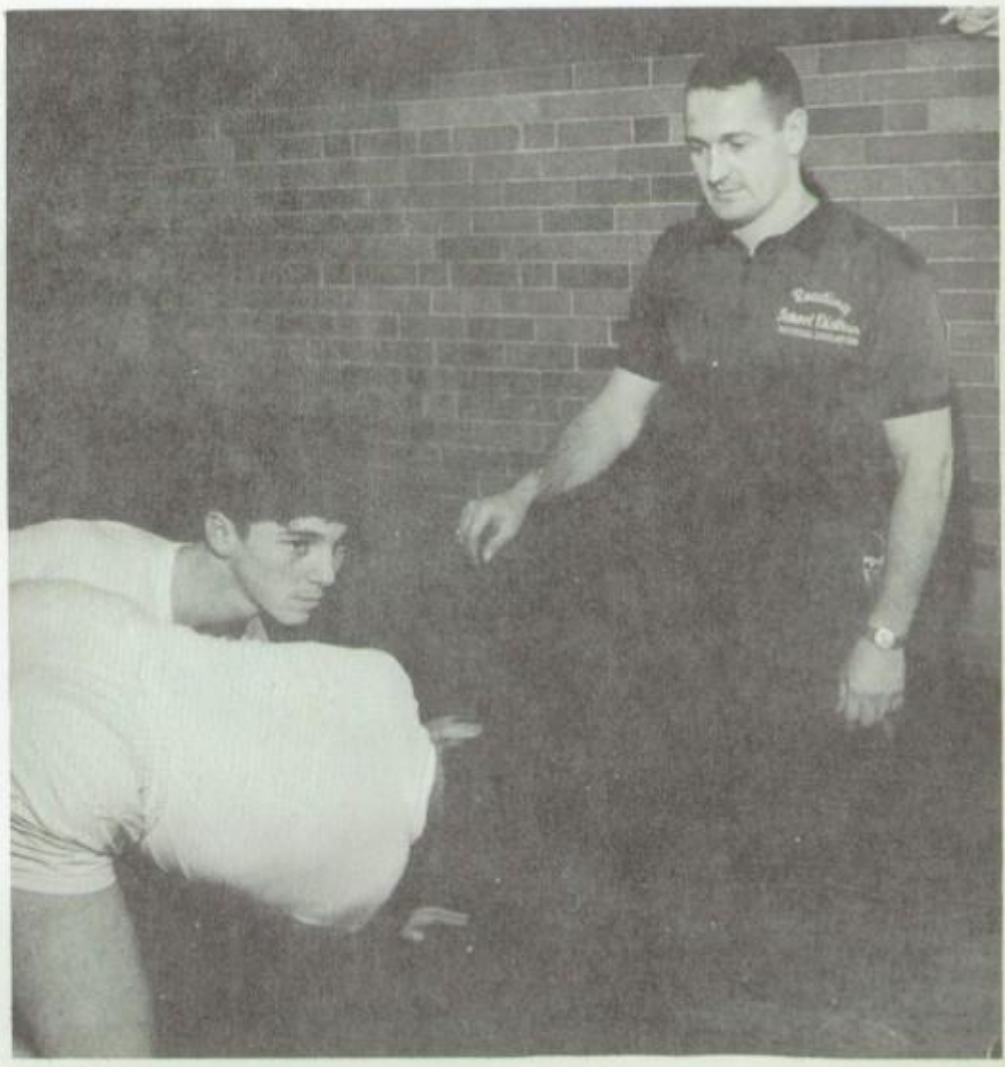
During one of her visits, Mrs. Katharine E. Kaufmann, Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District, informed the high school staff of a new instructional film available for classroom use.

Seated—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman, Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, Mr. James A. Ervin; *Standing*—Mr. Harrison H. Stump, chairman, Mr. James H. Gano, Mr. Jack Prutzman, Mr. Bernard Kaplan, Mr. George A. Pappas, Mr. Mark Snyder, Mrs. Katharine E. Kaufmann, Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District



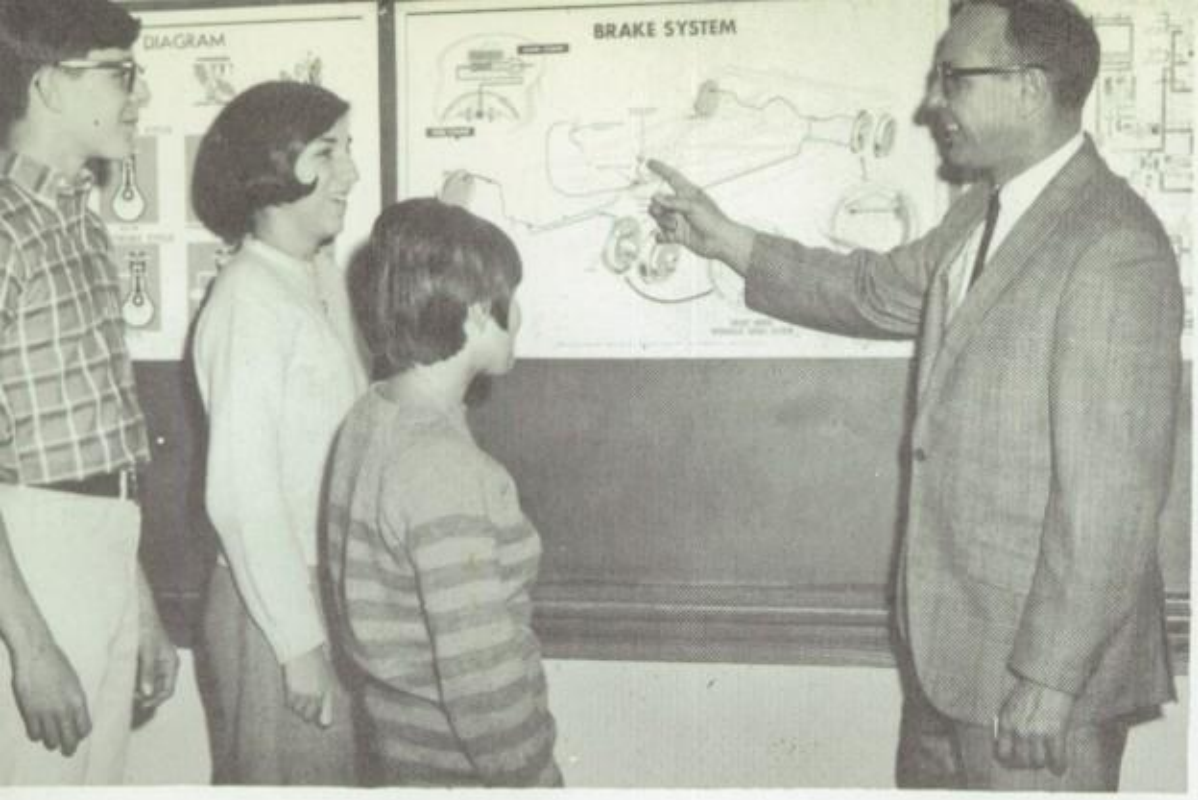
In Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman's physical education classes, girls performed various calisthenics, which constituted an important part of the extensive physical fitness program.

Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, physical education instructor



Referee and instructor Jack Prutzman offers advice to two students as they engage in a wrestling match in one of their gym classes.

David Cummings, Terry Pingatore, Mr. Jack Prutzman, instructor



Safety Education Department

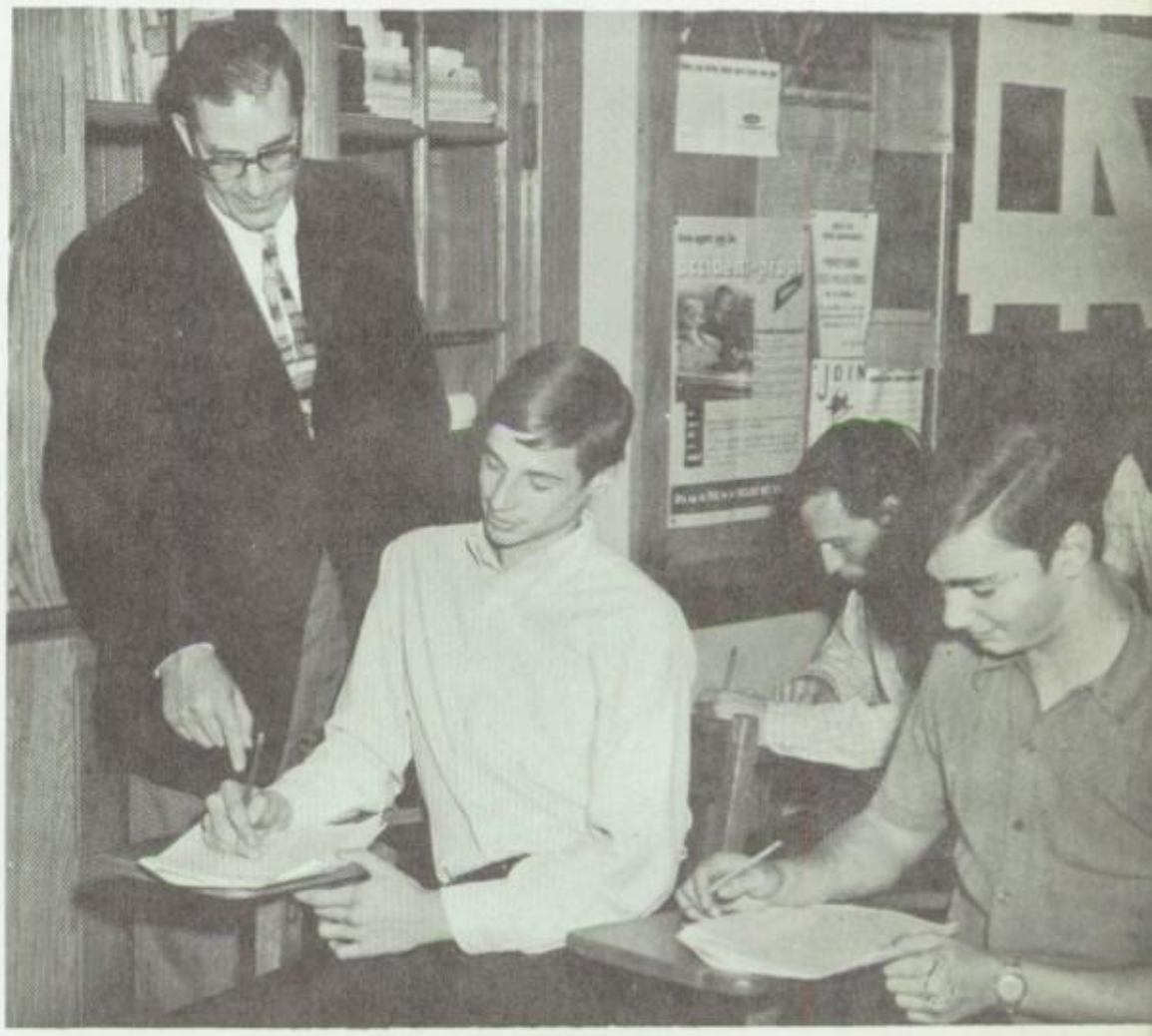
Instructors—Mr. James A. Ervin
Mr. James H. Gano
Mr. Bernard Kaplan
Mr. George A. Pappas

Safety education at Reading High School consisted of a mandated course in pedestrian and automobile safety for all eleventh grade students, plus a driver training program which was optional to pupils of the same grade.

This year four certified instructors and three district-operated driver training cars were available to any junior who was interested in gaining knowledge and experience in preparing for his state driver test.

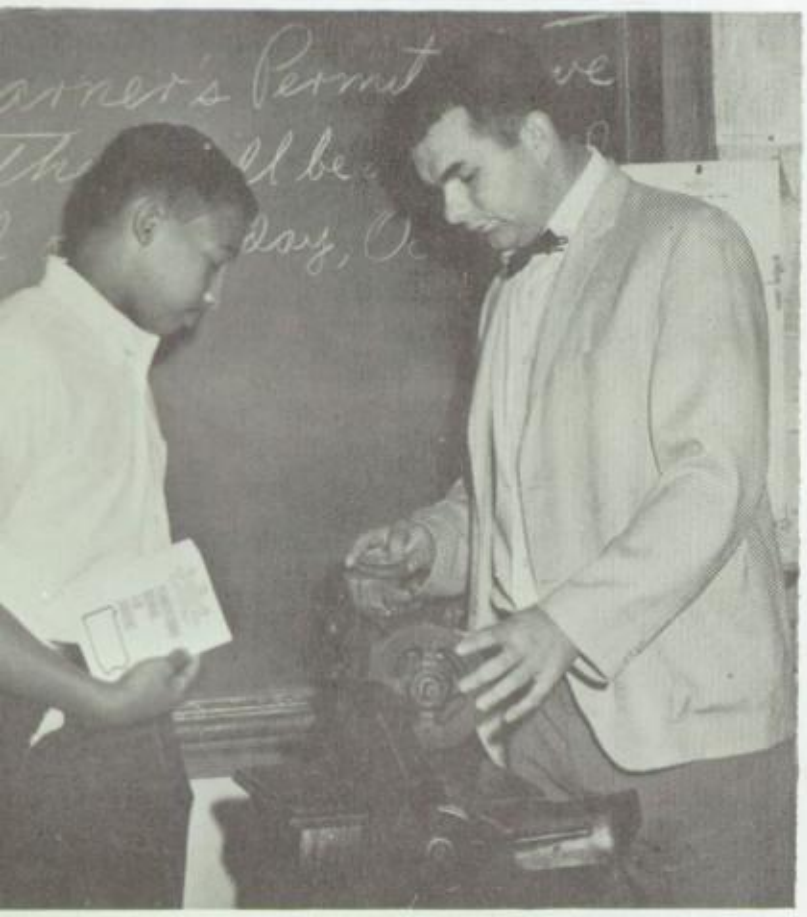
Mr. James Ervin acquainted his students with the structure of an automobile with the use of illustrative charts.

Dave Clemmens, Janet Spitz, Susan Snyder, Mr. James A. Ervin, instructor



Class instruction in safety education included frequent testing of various concepts of pedestrian and driver safety.

Standing—Mr. George A. Pappas, instructor; *Row 1*—Charles Bartholomew, Michael Batastini; *Row 2*—Walter Fackler, John Jacobs



Through the use of authentic parts of a motor vehicle, the certified instructors could impress upon the students the importance of good car maintenance and operation.

Stanley Danner, Mr. James H. Gano, instructor

Driving experiences in the training cars enabled students to put their theoretical knowledge to practical use.

Seated in car—Michelle Dadamio; *Standing*—Robin Connor, Mr. Bernard Kaplan, instructor

Administrative and supervisory tasks were capably handled by the two certified librarians and the library secretary.

Miss Louise Kilar, secretary; Mrs. Eleanor Printz, librarian; Mrs. Pauline S. Obold, librarian

Library Department

Librarians—Mrs. Pauline S. Obold
Mrs. Eleanor B. Printz

Library Secretary—Miss Louise Kilar

General library materials available to Castle students this past year included approximately nineteen thousand home reading and reference books, close to one hundred and fifty magazines, plus five daily newspapers. Accessible for special research and other uses were nine sets of popular encyclopedias, a Freedom Shrine, five-year files of magazines, plus numerous vertical files of pictures and general information including career pamphlets.

Personnel changes in the department included the naming of Miss Louise M. Kilar to the position of library secretary.

Currently, the school library is affiliated with the Lehigh Valley branch of the Pennsylvania Library Association and the American Library Association.

Throughout each day, the books were processed quickly in order to have the greatest number of books on the shelves at all times.

Maryann Gerhard

Well-trained student librarians at the circulation desk helped to provide efficient service to Castle students

Rita Swiderski, Mary Ignatosky, Donna Breedy

Library Department

Librarians—Mrs. Pauline S. Obold
Mrs. Eleanor B. Printz

Library Secretary—Miss Louise Kilar

Highlighting the special activities of the student librarians was the field trip to the Seventeenth Annual Teen-Age Library Association Convention which was held on Wednesday, October 16, 1968 at Kutztown State College.

Worthy of note is the fact that Jane Ludwig, a student library assistant at Reading High School, served as vice president of the Teen-Age Library Association this past year.

Under consideration are plans to transfer the library facilities to the gymnasium upon completion of the proposed new field house.

Attractive bulletin board displays prepared by junior librarians kept students well-informed of the availability of a variety of library materials.

Beryl Williams, Anna Strunk, Cynthia Mengel, Linda Remp

Up-to-date issues of popular magazines were always available for research or leisure reading.

Shirley Matter

During the school year new books were prominently displayed to arouse student interest in stimulating and timely publications.

Sandra Notobartolo, Gladys Sigafoos

Home Economics Department

Chairman—Mrs. Hannah M. Orr

Students in the home economics course carried a notable amount of worthy recognition for the Castle by their achievements. Karen Miller, Donna Spies and Karen Birnstock placed first, second, and third, respectively in a sewing contest sponsored by the Reading Civic Woman's Club. Dolores Merinsky won third place in Pomeroy's Golden Scissors Contest. In addition, Karen Birnstock was nominated to the McCall Pattern Fashion Board.

Special departmental projects in which students took an active part included a tea for parents of students inducted into the National Honor Society and a Christmas Tea for the high school faculty.

At one of the department meetings, Mrs. Hannah M. Orr, chairman, and members of her staff discussed appropriate Yuletide decorations to be used in the department's living room.

Seated—Mrs. Doris A. Herbine, Mrs. Hannah M. Orr, chairman; Miss Christine Peterson; *Standing*—Mrs. Janet L. Giddens, Mrs. Marion L. Capkovic

Miss Kristine Peterson supervises her tenth grade students as they complete an exercise in the Family Life Education course.

Seated—Mark Blankenbiller, Barbara Blatt, Joy Blumberg; *Standing* — Miss Kristine Peterson, instructor

As a unique student Christmas project, Mrs. Hannah M. Orr's Foods I class prepared a special buffet luncheon themselves.

Linda Staples, Donna Johnson, Mrs. Hannah M. Orr, instructor; Virginia Bishop, Sophie Straka

Audio-Visual Aids Department

Co-ordinator—Mr. Philip W. Moore

In addition to their routine services, the staff handled the sound and lighting for the school dances. For the first time this year, they also operated the audio-equipment in the assemblies.

Members of the Audio-Visual Aids staff receive detailed instructions from Mr. Philip W. Moore, sponsor, as to the proper method of operating their newly-acquired 35 millimeter slide film projector designed for auditorium use.

Michael Marburger, Michelle Steiger, Richard Fisher, Marçia Seiple, Mr. Philip W. Moore, co-ordinator; Sharon Springer, Robert Conrad, Edward Bitler, Randy Rietz

Developmental Reading

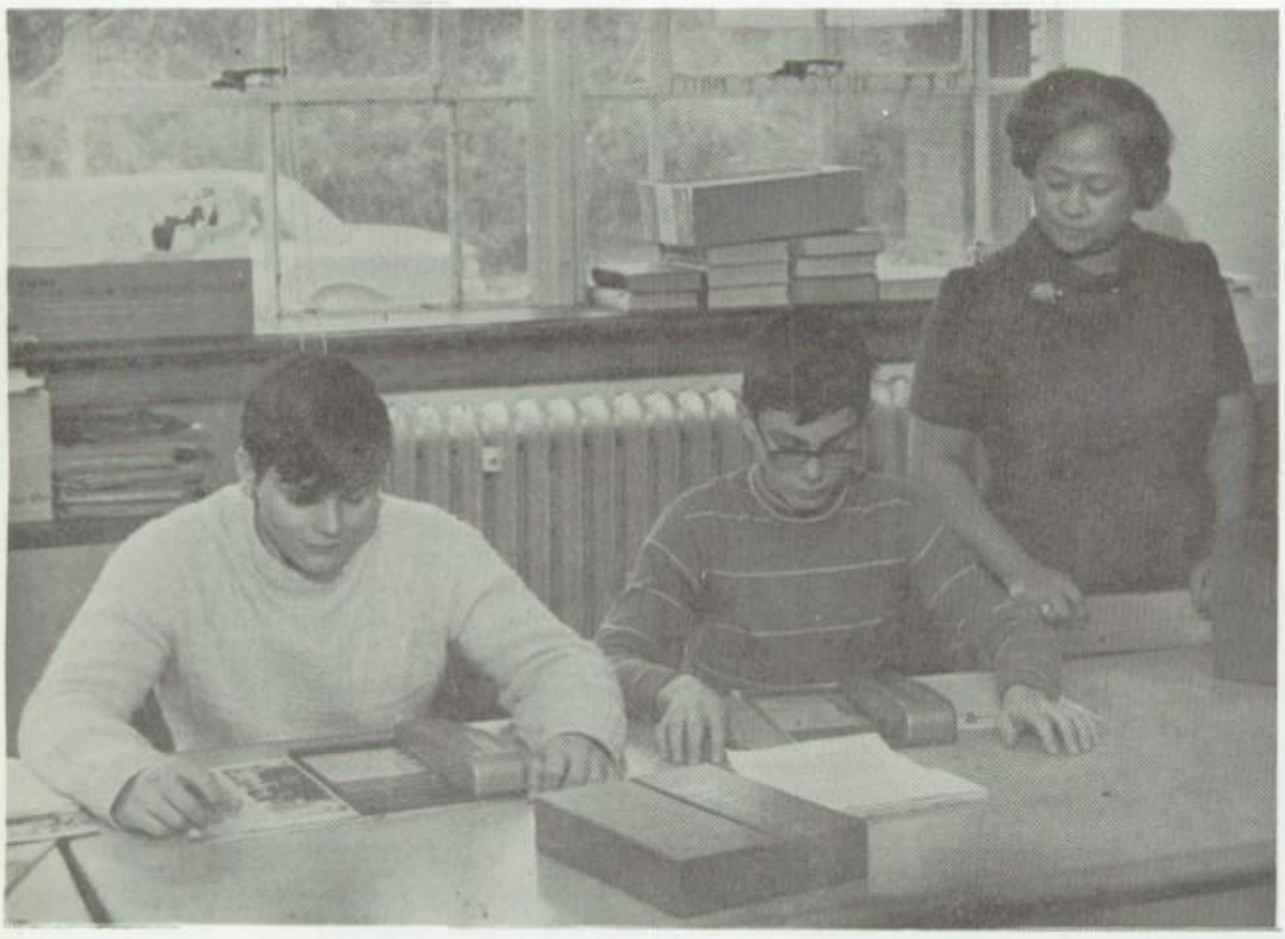
Instructor—
Mrs. Elizabeth W. Goodwin

For the students of the sophomore class at Reading High School, this one period per week reading course was a required one.

In the reading laboratory in Room 115, the tenth grade students were able to improve their reading through the specialized training provided by the reading consultant.

Frequent use of special reading machines helped each student improve his reading speed and comprehension.

Thomas Buchas, Kim Feinauer, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Goodwin, instructor



R.H.S. Alumni Association

President—Mr. William H. Clouser

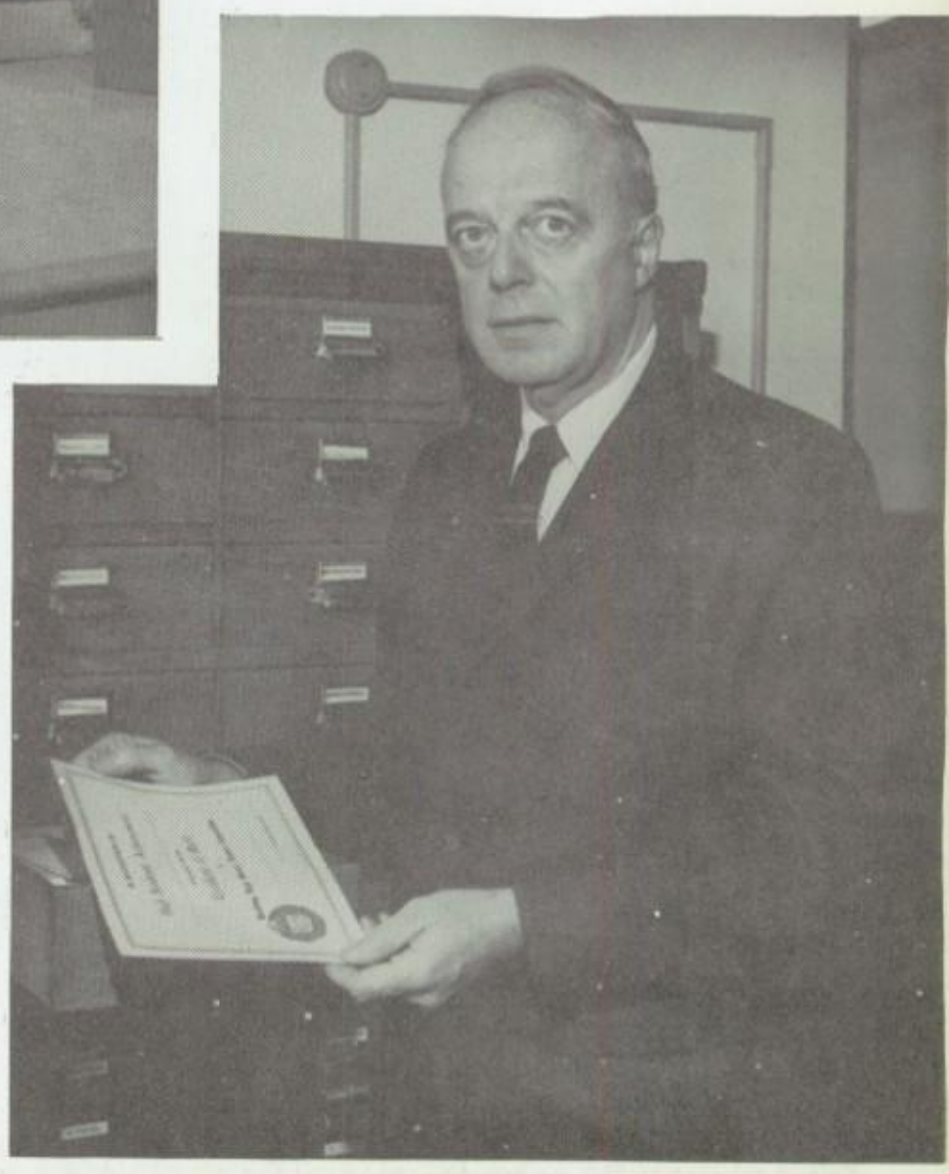
This association which was formed on October 21, 1867, is considered to be the oldest of its kind in the state.

Last year Mr. William Clouser, one of the vice-principals of Reading Senior High School, succeeded Mr. Ralph W. Kinsey to the office of president of the association.

Annually, the organization grants two five hundred-dollar scholarships to deserving members of the senior class.

Mr. William H. Clouser, newly elected Reading High School Alumni president and 1933 graduate of R.H.S., examines a sample of the Certificate of Merit awarded by the association.

Mr. William H. Clouser, vice principal at Reading High School



Office Staff

Miss Marion J. Moyer
Principal's Secretary

Mrs. Kathryn D. Shell
Office Supervisor

Mrs. Barbara A. Masley
Guidance Department

Mrs. Ruth T. Campbell
Athletic Department

Mrs. Mary Louise Oxenford
Communications Clerk

Miss Helen Pettis
College Transcripts

Miss Sandra Swierczewski
Clerk

Miss Fern L. Lengel
Clerk

In addition to the regular lunch program, the cafeteria staff prepared a special menu from February 10-14, 1969, in observance of Afro-American History Week.

Seated—Marie Heist, Evelyn Accordino, Ruth Sonon, Lillian Leinbach, Jennie Saylor, June Redcay, Catherine Miller, Helena Fisher, Doris Wescott, Ann Buckley, Elizabeth Robidoux, Mrs. Ruth Mohler, manager; *Standing*—Myrtle Strunk, Margaret Babb, Marie Motyl, Mary Rhein, Elsie Kutz, Mildred Monasmith, Irene Rickenbach, Lois Brenner, Helen Cieplinski, Caroline Seidel, Dorothy Kushner, Miriam Phillips, Florence Longlott, Naomi Gallagher; *Absent*—Martha Scholwin

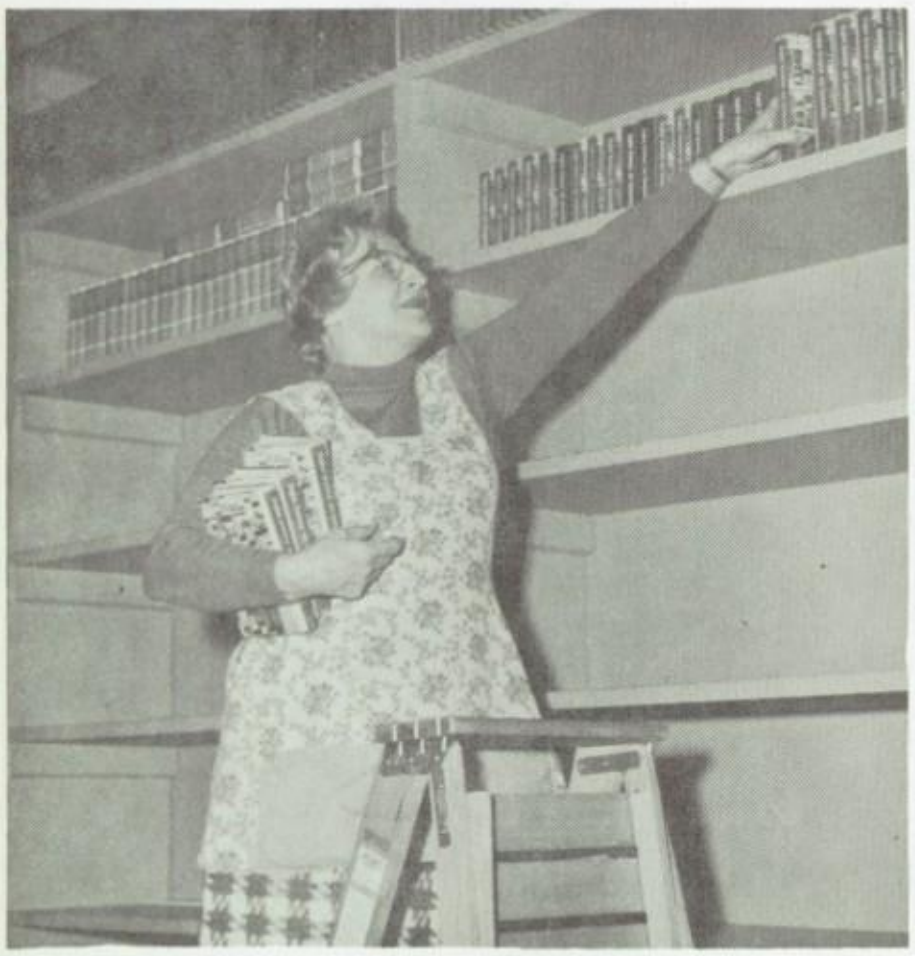
Auxiliary Personnel

Cafeteria Staff

Manager—Mrs. Ruth M. Mohler

Because of the additional facilities made available by the opening of the Reading-Muhlenberg Vocational-Technical School, the twenty-seven members of the cafeteria staff at the high school served only three lunch periods instead of the customary four.

As usual, Reading Senior High School participated in the National School Lunch Week program. It was held during the seven-day period beginning October 13, 1968. Castle students received the All-State Menu, prepared and served by all school cafeterias throughout the state on October 16, 1968.



Bookroom Custodian

Mrs. Ann L. Dziamba

This past school term marked Mrs. Ann L. Dziamba's ninth year of service to Reading High School. For five of these years, namely from 1960 to 1964, and again during the 1968-69 school term, she acted as the Castle's regular bookroom custodian.

Among her many routine duties was the distribution, storage and recording of textbooks. At specific times, she also served as one of the elevator operators.

Throughout the year, Mrs. Ann L. Dziamba supplied teachers with textbooks and other classroom materials from the Castle's three bookrooms.

Custodial Staff

Head Custodian—Mr. Carl Hiester

Personnel in this group consisted of thirty-two men and women.

Members of this staff rendered their specific and routine services in the main building, in the gymnasium, in the solarium, and in the field house.

On the campus, the custodians provided maintenance care for the school's three athletic fields, and for the newly-constructed parking areas located on the southwest corner of the school grounds.

Besides his supervisory tasks, Mr. Carl Hiester, head custodian, made periodic checks to see that all new equipment functioned properly.

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Head Sponsor's Message

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Among the poems of Elizabeth Coatsworth, there is a lovely vignette, "Swift Things Are Beautiful." In it, the author extols the fleet: "swallows and deer, and lightning that falls bright-veined and clear." But in 1969 the title might be "New Things Are Beautiful." Contemplate the mystery of birth, the coming of day, a first night in the theatre. Even more dazzling are the marvels of a technological era that has barely begun. Architectural triumphs house families, businesses, industries. Inside these structures, innumerable time-saving and labor-saving devices are at work. Outside, super-highways zoom super vehicles to every corner of the nation. Beside these roads, other mechanical monsters succor the farmer. Overhead, the skies are a playground for a plethora of whirling wonders. The moon is a mere giant step away. When were opportunities for youth ever greater? Yet amid this bounty, there is famine; unhappiness, disrespect, frustration, violence, destruction persist. Why?

The title of Miss Coatsworth's poem is misleading; only the first stanza sings of swift things. There is a counterbalancing second stanza which tolls the beauty of slow things: "the ember that crumbles, the opening flower, the ox that moves on in the quiet of power." Perhaps the beautiful new things also need a catalyst. Perhaps it is time to remember that old things are beautiful, too: Stonehenge, the oak in the forest, a Beethoven sonata, the flag going by in a parade. Things such as the Halloween pumpkin, the Thanksgiving turkey, Christmas carols and the mistletoe. Things such as the cop on the beat, the family together for Sunday prayer and dinner, Alma Mater, and pleasant memories. Things such as respect for authority, personal discipline, and a real sense of values. And so then when you, the Class of 1969 and your generation, have learned to temper the exuberance, imagination, and splendor of the new with the sobriety, experience, and permanence of the old —hopefully then you will have taken a first long stride toward molding the world of decency and peace that man so richly deserves, the impossible dream that he is capable of approaching.

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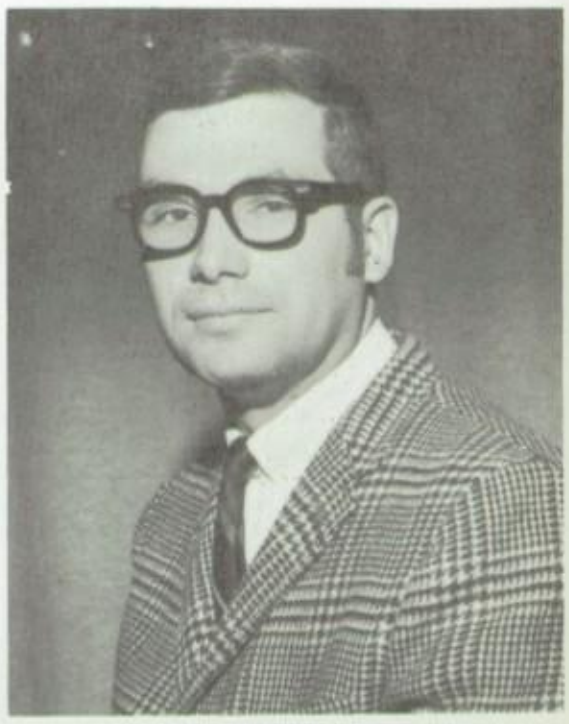

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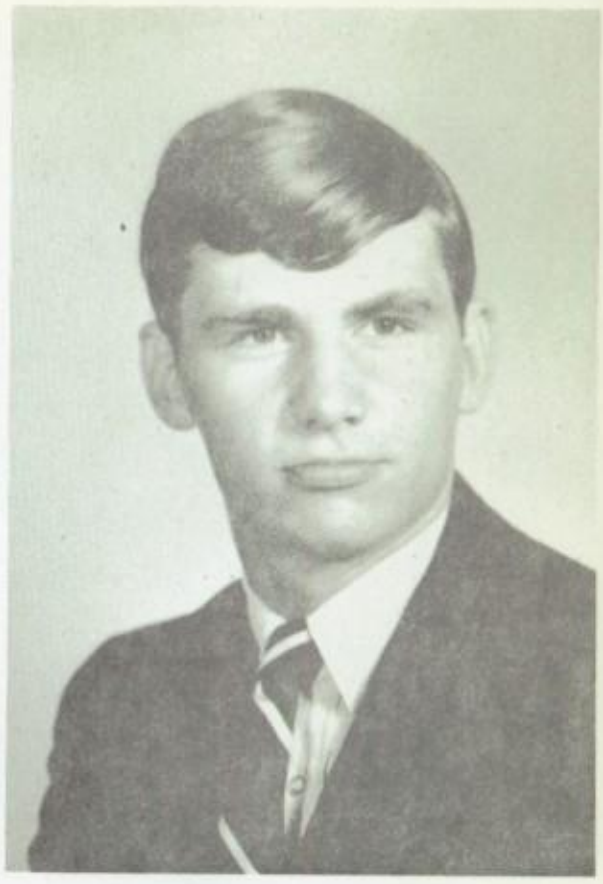

James Littlejohn
Vice President

Class President's Message

When you receive your diploma it marks the genesis of a new life. Commencement means beginning and it signifies the blossoming of vast horizons for us to explore. But these will not come without hard work and perseverance. In today's society, where social and welfare benefits are handed to us on a silver platter, one should not be misled by "ideal" promises. Nothing is going to come easily; it is going to take plenty of hard work.

Our objective, as members of a democratic society, is to become successful citizens. Graduation day will mark the day of decision. We are at the threshold of a new and exciting world. We are the future generation that will have to face many challenging situations. We must have perseverance and good judgment and be able to utilize our education.

Although we have looked forward to this day, we must realize that we are leaving behind the best years of our lives. We have met many people and made lasting friends. Each of us will cherish his memories of our years together; the studies and friendships which were so much a part of these wonderful years. We should strive to mold these souvenirs of time into a base for our future endeavors which offer unlimited opportunity, to those who, in earnest, seek to reap the fruits of greatness.

In closing, we the "Class of 1969" wish to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude to our class sponsors, and to everyone who helped make the senior class activities as successful as they were, and to those who made our stay at the Castle on the Hill very rewarding and unforgettable.

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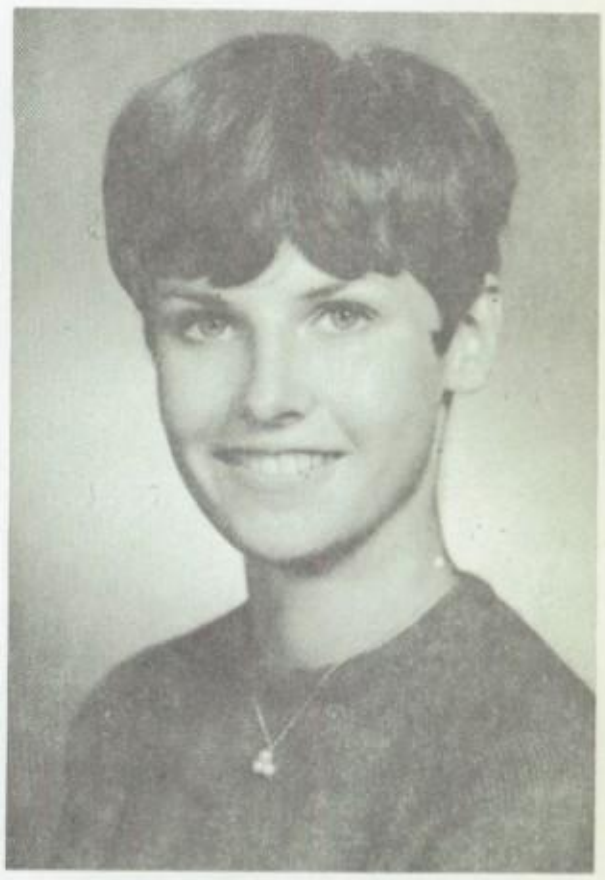

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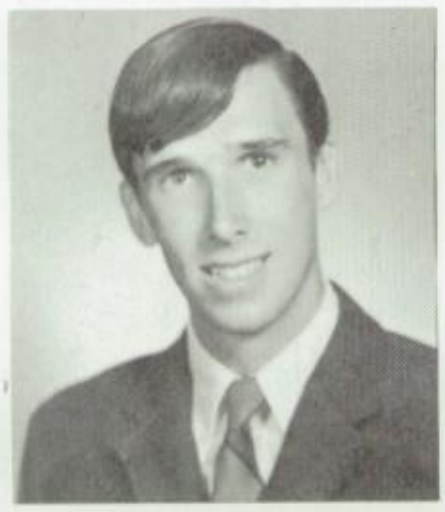

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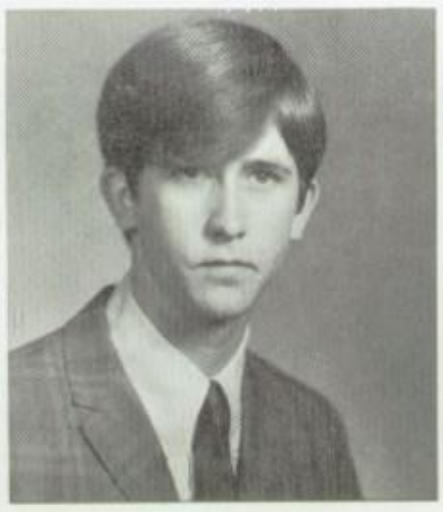

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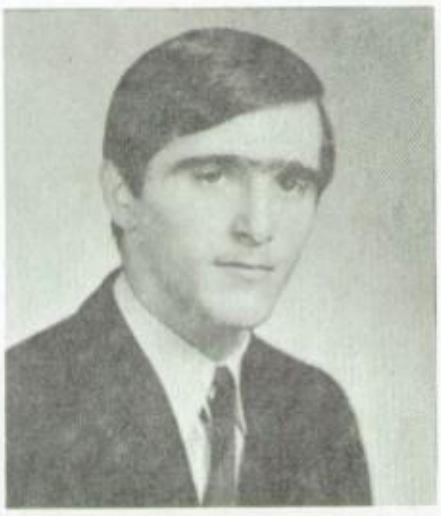

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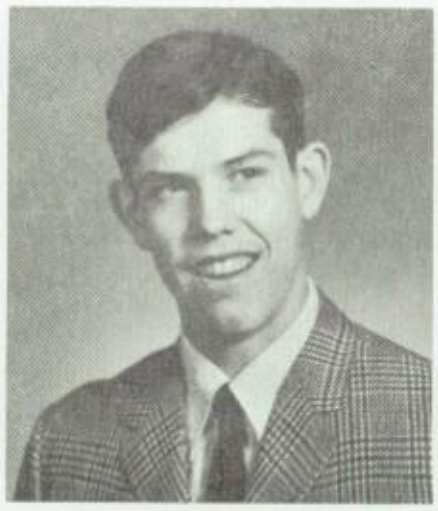

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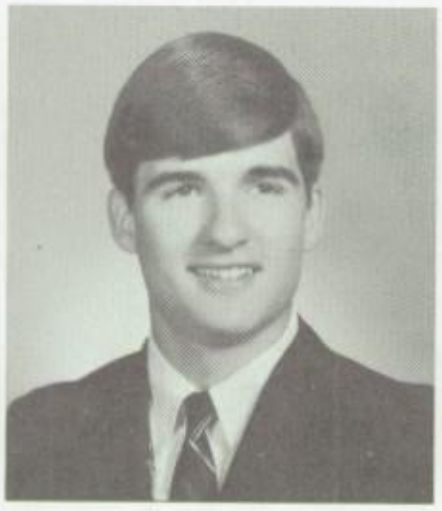

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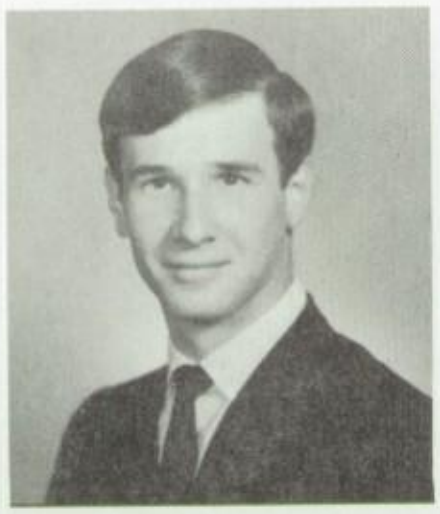

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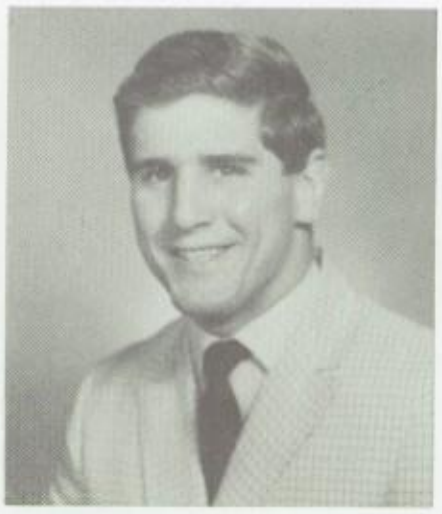

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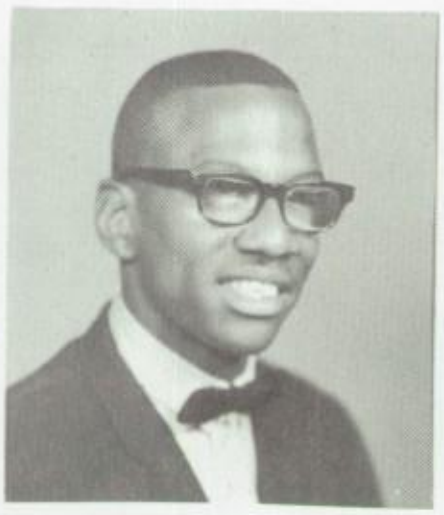

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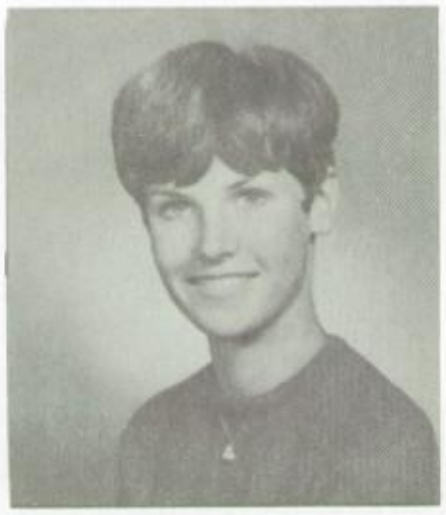

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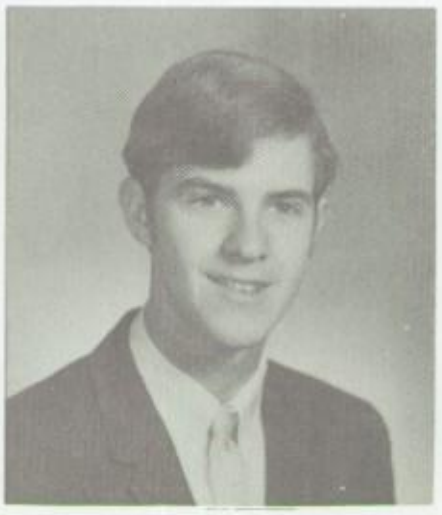

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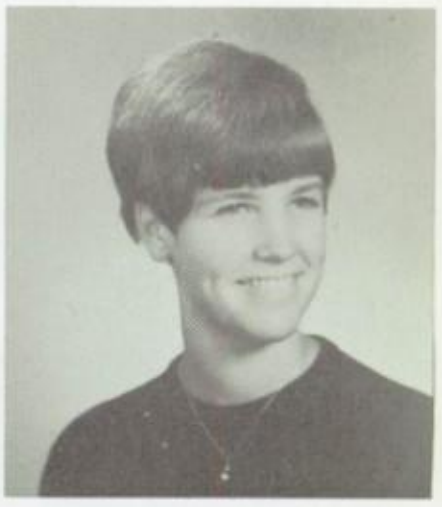

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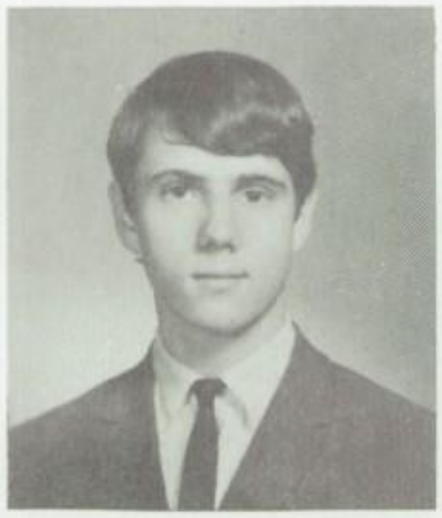

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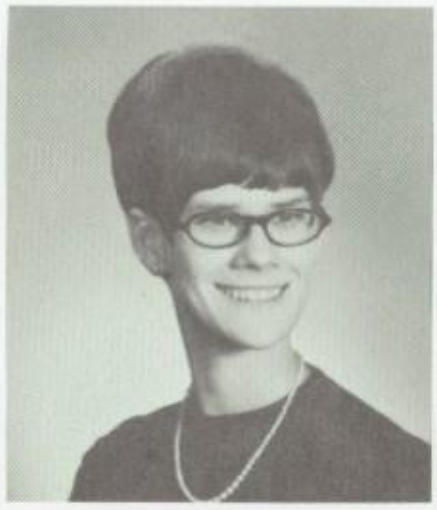

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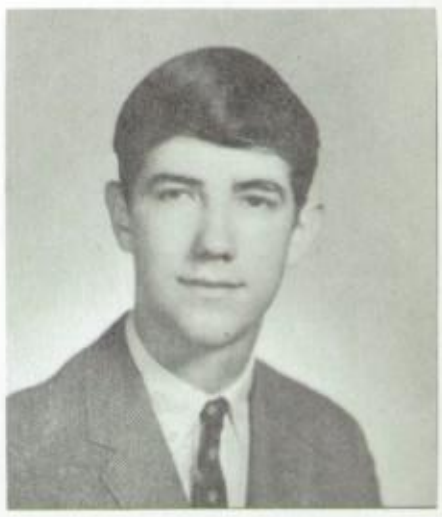

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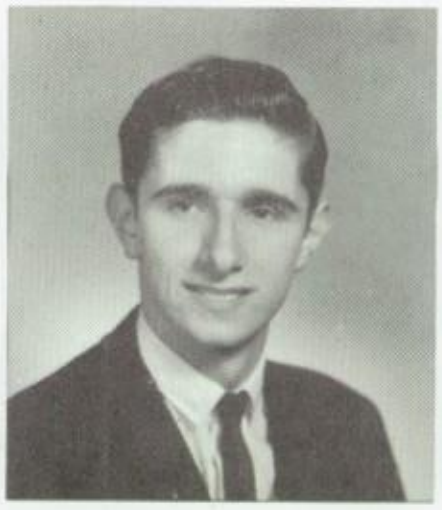

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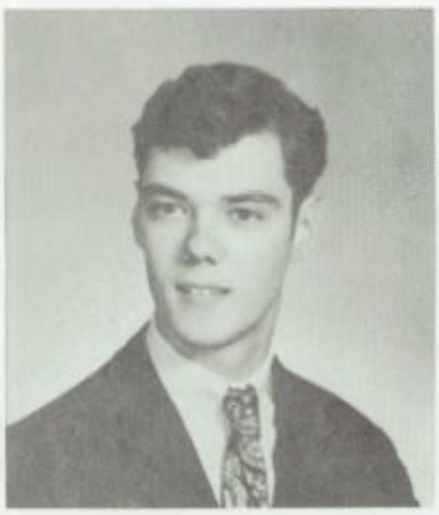
Intra. Arch.



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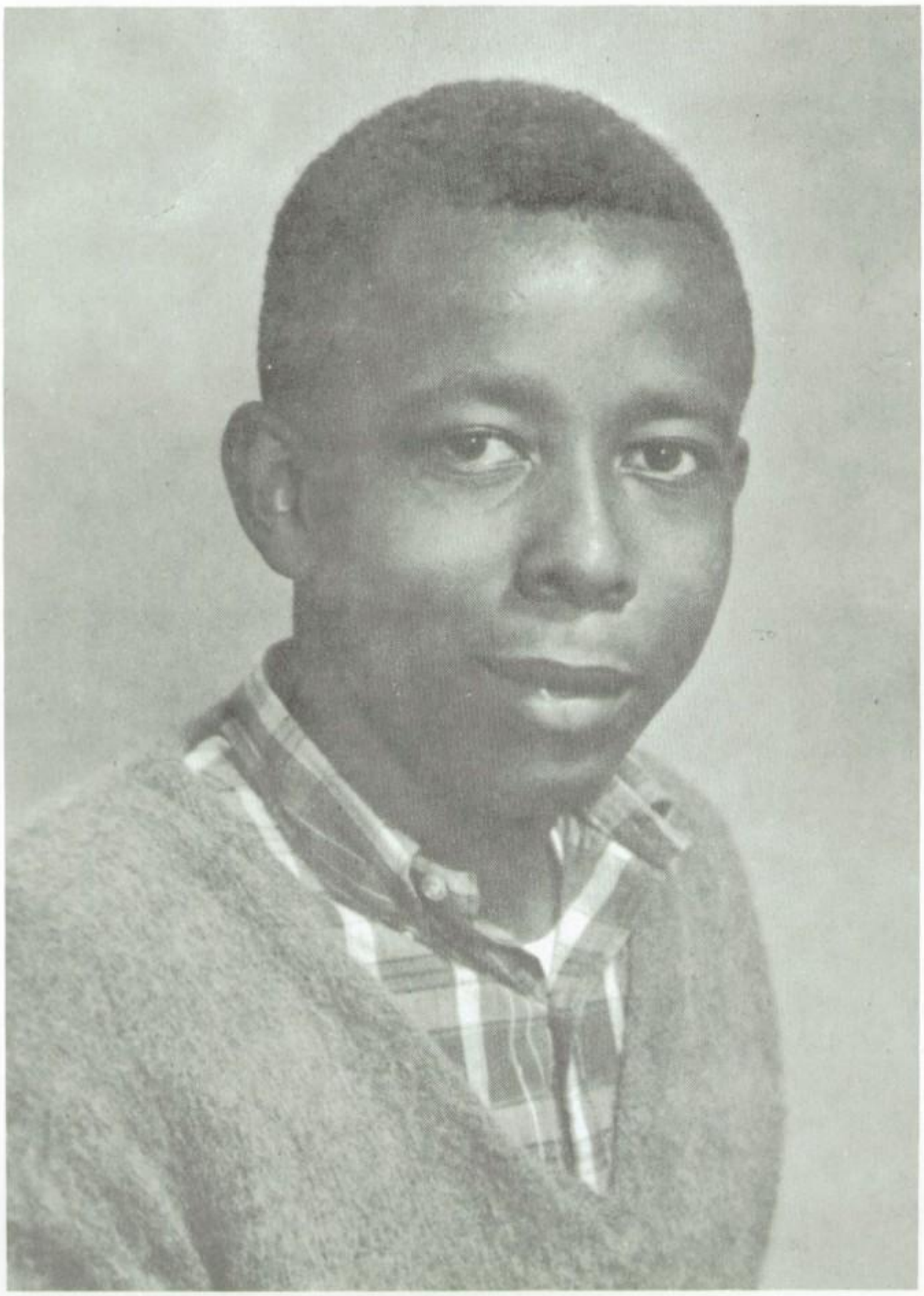

Melvin Lee McClary
139 Pear Street

Passed Away
June 16, 1968

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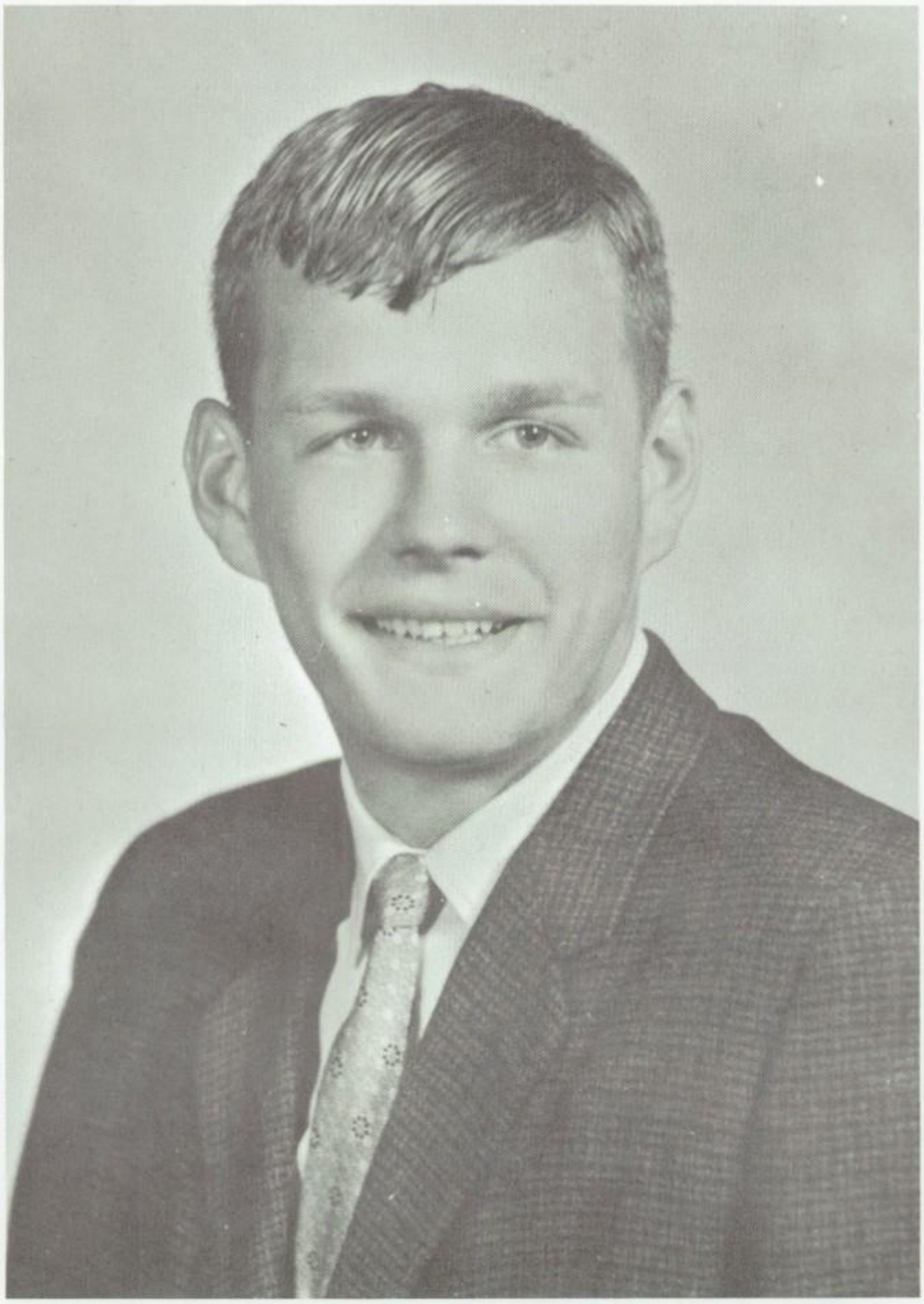


Wasyl Robert Karacz
1616 Muhlenberg Street

Passed Away
September 6, 1968

In the fifteenth annual Activity Queen Contest, sponsored by Key Club, the student body selected Jill Stump as the Castle Queen.
Jill Stump

Judy Jaworski represented Reading Senior High School in the Berks County Junior Miss Pageant held on October 5, 1968, at the Hamburg Area High School.

Judy Jaworski

Mr. Clinton D. Getz, college counselor, proudly informed eight Castle students of their success in earning semi-finalist ratings in the fourteenth annual National Merit Scholarship Examination.

Seated—Louise Vogel, Mr. Clirton D. Getz, college counselor; Kathleen Grant; *Standing*—Karen Einsel, Robert Care, Dennis Simon, Michael Palm, Charles Bendrick, Frederick Kistler

Senior Achievements

Winners in the twelfth annual Robert S. Birch Speaking Contest, which was held in the Music Room at Reading High School on Thursday, February 27, 1969, were Nathan Kuperstock, Louise Vogel, and Peter Stelmach.

Louise Vogel, second-place winner; Nathan Kuperstock, first-place winner; Peter Stelmach, third-place winner

In the National High School Mathematics Contest sponsored by the Society of Actuaries and the Mathematics Association of America in 1968, Dennis Simon ranked 93rd in a field of over 300,000 student contestants.

Dennis Simon

Richard Debiec was selected the most popular player as a result of a student ballot vote.

Mr. Henry J. Papich, representing the Reading Trust Company, presented the trophy to Richard Debiec

Senior Achievements

Members of the Reading High School coaching staff granted the defensive headhunter award for the 1968 football season to Francis Coleman.

Mr. Louis DeLuca, representing the De Luca's Camera Center, presented Francis Coleman with the trophy

Peter Stelmach displays the plaque which he won for being the "Best Delegate" in the political committee of the U.N. Conference which was held Saturday, December 14, 1968, at Albright College.

Peter Stelmach

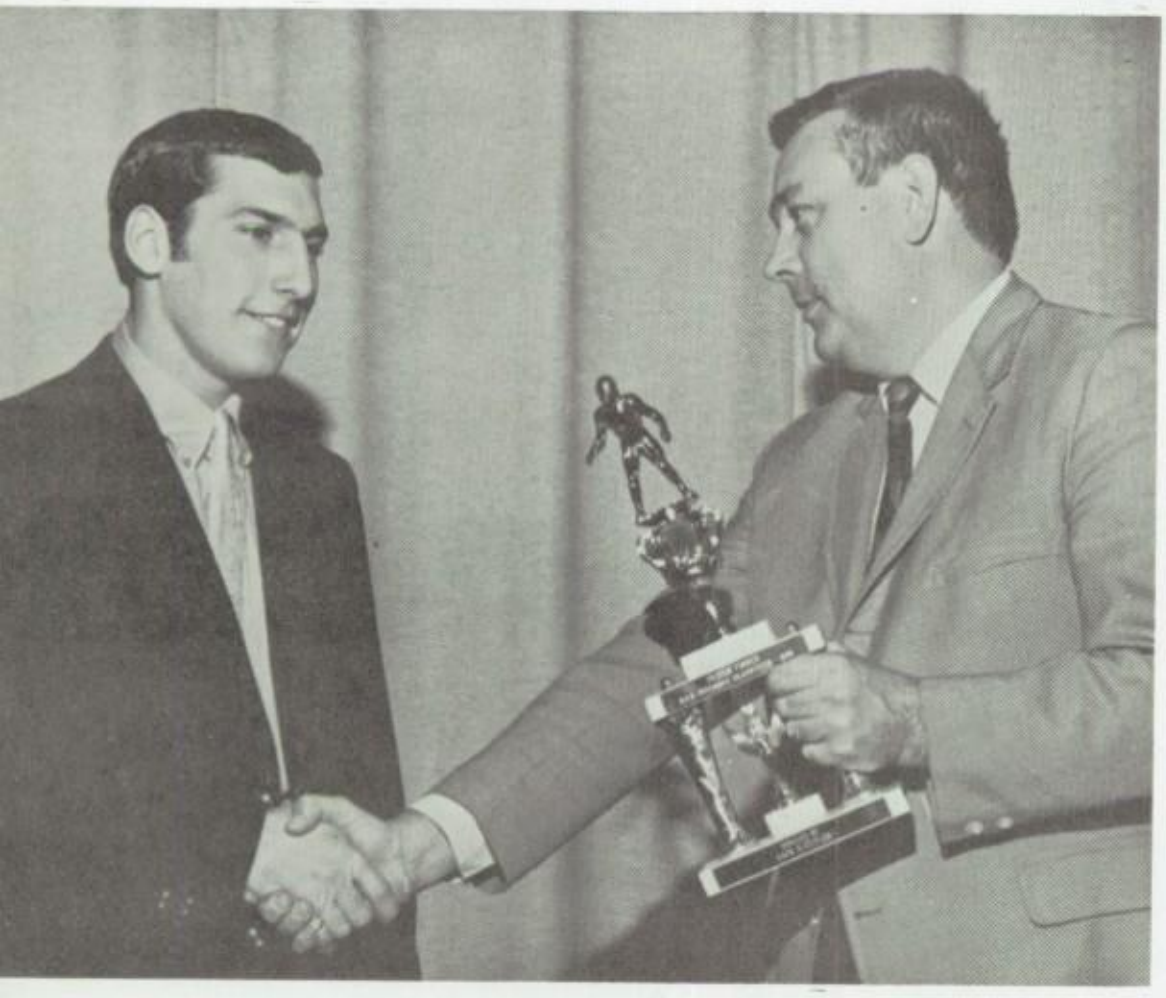
Priscilla Beears, violinist, and Donna Treat, flutist, were the seniors who took part in the Eastern District Pennsylvania Music Educators' Association Orchestra Festival at Catasauqua Area High School on February 6, 7, 8, 1969.

Donna Treat, Violinist; Priscilla Beears, flutist

Senior Achievements

Two seniors in the clothing class at Reading High School won prizes in the sewing contest sponsored by the Reading Civic Women's Club.

Donna Spies, first prize; Karen Birnstock, third prize



After careful analysis by the Reading High School football coaching staff, Dennis Fisher was selected to receive the offensive headhunter award for the 1968 football season.

Mr. Jack D. Cutler from the Vocational Technical Center, Berks County East, presented the trophy donated by DeLuca's Camera Center

Castle seniors who were selected to participate in the Eastern District Pennsylvania Music Educators' Association Band Festival at the Daniel Boone High School on January 23, 24, 25, 1969, and at the Regional State Band Festival at the Tulpehocken High School on March 6, 7, 8, 1969, were Michele Fitzgerald, clarinet, and Donna Treat, flute.

Michele Fitzgerald, clarinet; Donna Treat, flute

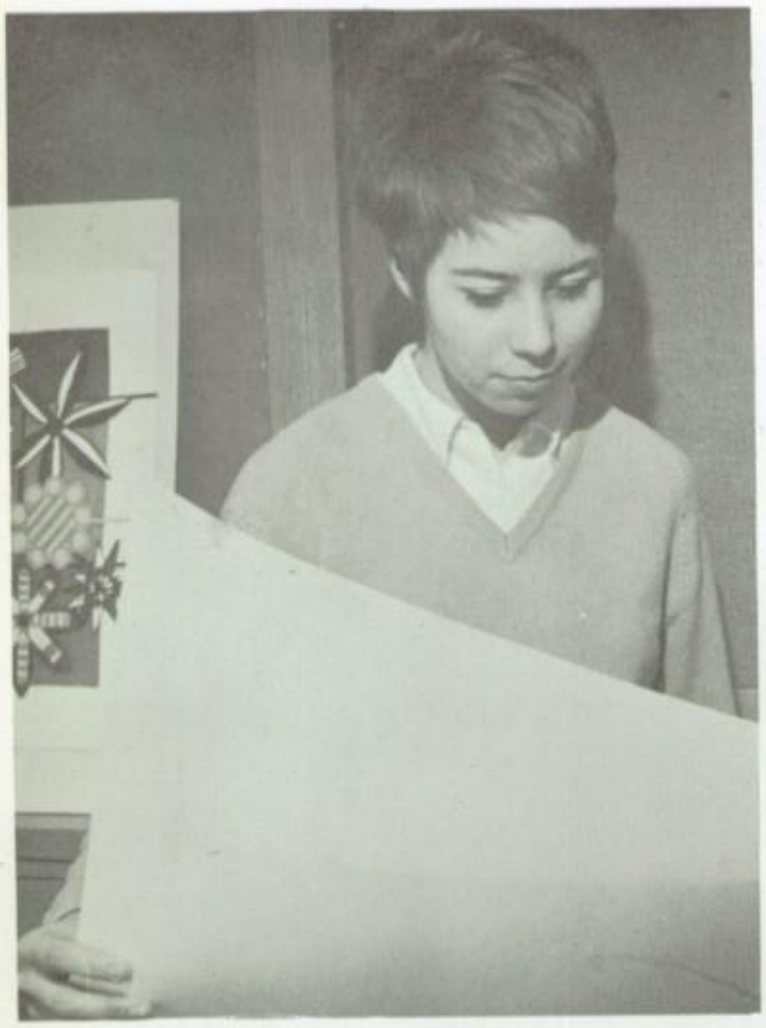
Senior Achievements

Cathy Saylor had the distinction of being elected as chapter and regional president of F.B.L.A. and state vice president of the same organization.

Cathy Saylor

In Pomeroy's second annual "Golden Scissors" contest, which took place on Saturday, October 12, 1968, in the Crystal Restaurant, Dolores Merinsky won third prize.

Dolores Merinsky



Daphyn Rapp, a senior, won first prize in the Hallmark Art Contest sponsored by the Woman's Civic Club of Reading.

Daphyn Rapp

Four vocalists of the senior class were selected to participate in the Eastern District Chorus Festival which was held February 20, 21, and 22 at Alvernia College.

Rebecca Barner, Christina Dondore, Joan Spencer, Martin Wahl

Senior Achievements

Four staff heads of the Arx-alma yearbook were named for membership in the Quill and Scroll Society, an international honorary organization for high school journalists.

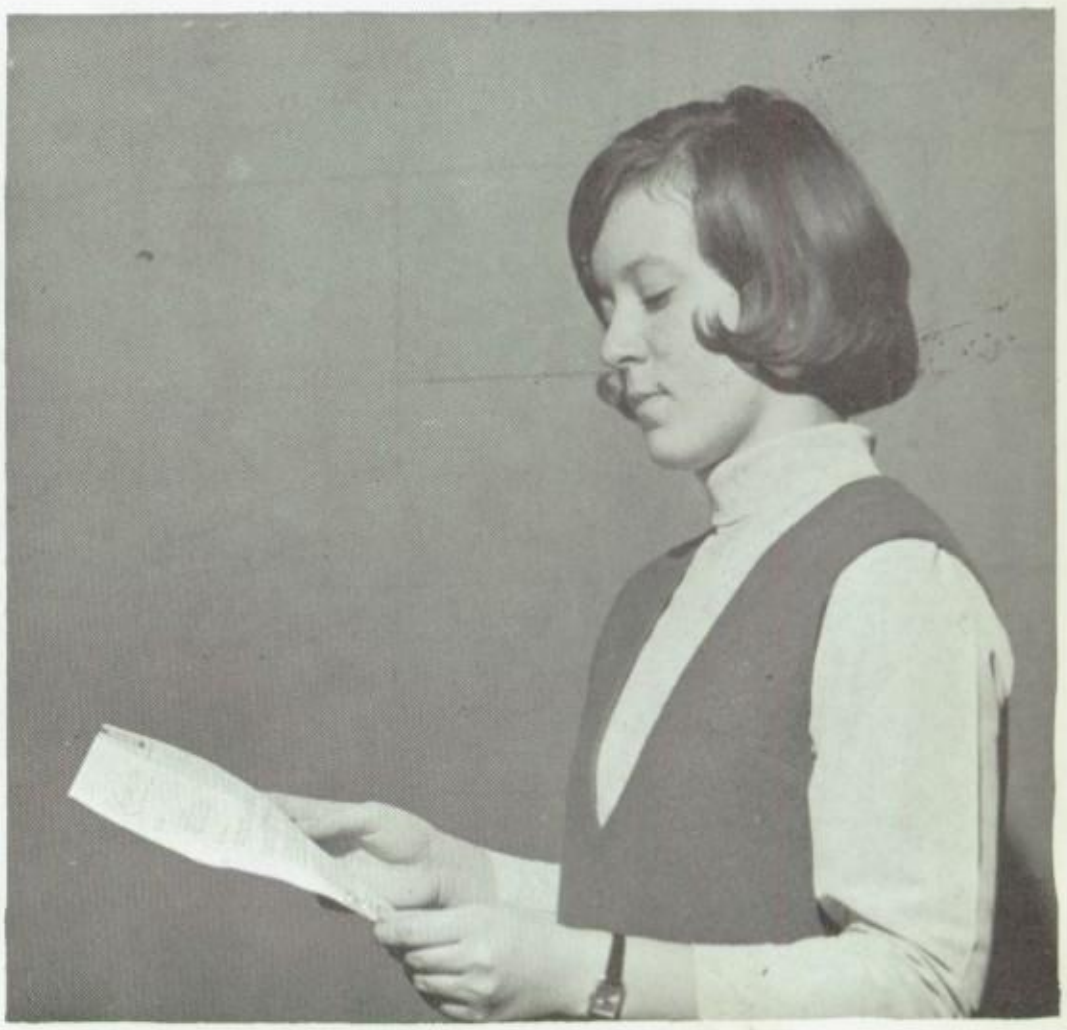
Carol Collihan, editor-in-chief; Sandra Sparks, copy editor; Sandra Wise, picture editor; Dianne Kunkelman, senior editor

Three other school publications had four staff heads selected for membership in the Roland P. Kyle Chapter of the Quill and Scroll Society.

William Boyer, sports editor of Red and Black newspaper; Joyce Koller, editor-in-chief of the Red and Black newspaper; Emilie Fiorvanti, editor-in-chief of the Castle Page newspaper; Robert Care, editor-in-chief of the Red Pen magazine

In the current events quiz sponsored by the Quill and Scroll Society, Kay Cronrath, a senior at Reading High School earned a National Gold Key Award.

Kay Cronrath



Senior Committees

Executive Committee

Class Sponsors—
Head Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr.
Assistant Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Assistant Sponsor—Mrs. Doris A. Herbine
Financial Sponsor—Mr. Ronald J. Lubas

Class Officers—
President—Richard Koch
Vice President—James Littlejohn
Secretary—Joy Schuler
Treasurer—Judy Jaworski

Co-ordinators

Maria Dialectos

Jill Stump

With the assistance of the class sponsors, the Senior Executive Committee capably handled the detailed administrative aspects of the total senior program.

Personnel of the committee consisted of the class officers, and the presidents of the twenty-six homerooms, plus two student co-ordinators.

For the first time in the history of the school, co-ordinators were selected to help others of the executive body expedite the work of the sixteen service committees.

As a result of the faithful leadership shown by the class sponsors and the continuous services provided by members of the Executive Committee, members of the senior class were able to experience a rewarding and enjoyable year.

Seated—Diane Reber, Joanne Marmarou, Maria Dialectos, Sharon Gertney, Vicky Casper; *Standing*—Michael Caruso, Richard Koch, class president; Terry VanHorn, William Ulrich, Anthony Premici, Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr., sponsor; *Absent*—Timothy Gable

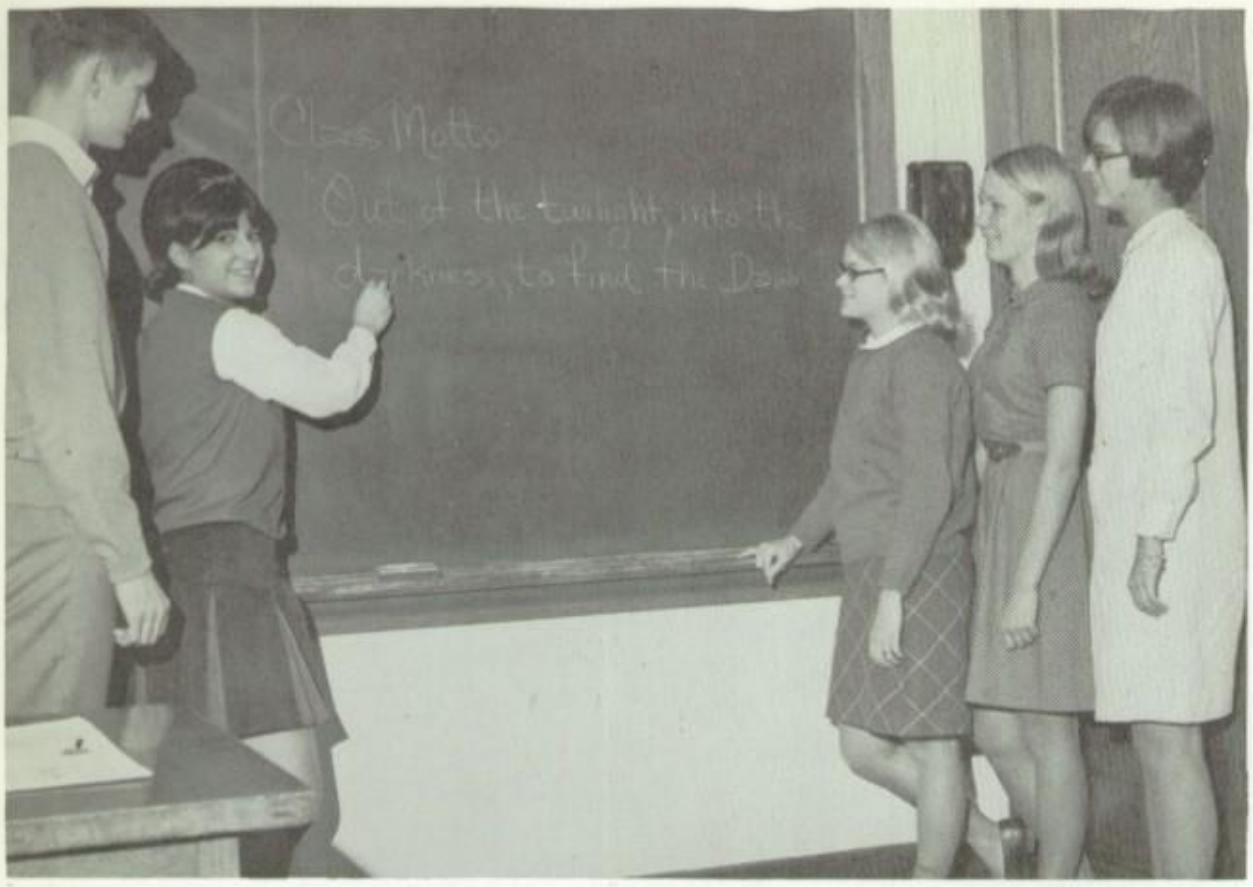
Senior Committees

Executive Committee

Seated—Sandra Wise, Judy Jaworski, class treasurer; Joyce Koller, Peggy Davis, Marlene Bendrick; *Standing*—Peter Nicholas, Jr., James Nicholas; *Absent*—Rosa Lee Sheriff

Seated—Joy Schuler, class secretary; Jill Stump, Susan Reifsnyder, Linda Cutrona; *Standing*—Maria Alexander, Sharon Harms, Curtis Ritter; *Absent*—Robin Dunkelberger, Robert Miller

Seated—Carolyn McCullough, Joy Schuler, class secretary; Joy Salon, Louise Vogel, Phyllis Moser; *Standing*—Larry Henry, James Littlejohn, class vice president; Martin T. Grant, Joseph Cupani; *Absent*—Joseph Solecki



Senior Committees

Motto Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr.
Chairman—Joanne Marmarou

Mottoes selected by the committee for further evaluation by members of the senior class were "To Dream the Impossible Dream," "In Ourselves Our Future Lies," "Knowledge Comes by Study, Wisdom by Experience," and "Out of the Twilight, Into the Darkness, To Find the Dawn."

Through a class vote, the senior class chose the last motto.

Walker Wadsworth, Joanne Marmarou; chairman, Deborah Neff, Richette Nowotarski, Deborah Cauff

Flower Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr.
Chairman—Linda Cutrona

Members of this committee recommended that three flowers be considered in selecting the official class flower, namely the white rose, the yellow rose, and the "American Beauty" rose.

As a result of a class vote, the senior class chose the last suggestion.

This year the girls of the senior class were scheduled to wear the official flower on the evening of commencement, Thursday, June 5, 1969.

Seated—Linda Cutrona; chairman; *Standing*—Jan Marks, Sandra Michael, Susan Grimes, Connie Cox

Color Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr.
Chairman—Vicky Casper

After considering numerous colors, the committee put on display in the lobby six color groups to be voted upon by the senior class. Color combinations exhibited were black and gold, black and silver, maroon and gold, maroon and silver, mint green and beige, plus burnt orange and yellow.

"Black and silver" was the color scheme selected by the "Class of 1969."

As in previous years, the class colors were used as the basic colors for the yearbook.

Cathy Saylor, Vicky Casper, chairman; Karen Einsel; *Absent*—Mary Jo Mingora, Robert Krug

Senior Committees

Ticket Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Ronald J. Lubas
Chairman—Rosa Lee Sheriff

Since this year's senior show was cancelled, the tasks of this committee were limited to arranging for and handling the sale of tickets for the Senior Prom which was held on Thursday, May 29, 1969 at the Albright College Field House.

Seated — Kathleen McKechnie, Sandra McNeal, Cynthia Brok, Sharon Ettel, Claire Drain; *Standing*—Lynne Kreider, Diane Kase, John Printz, Sharon Hill; *Absent* — Rosa Lee Sheriff, chairman; Diane Reber, Margaret Kreisher, Marie Natoli, Shirley Pool, Ellen Levin

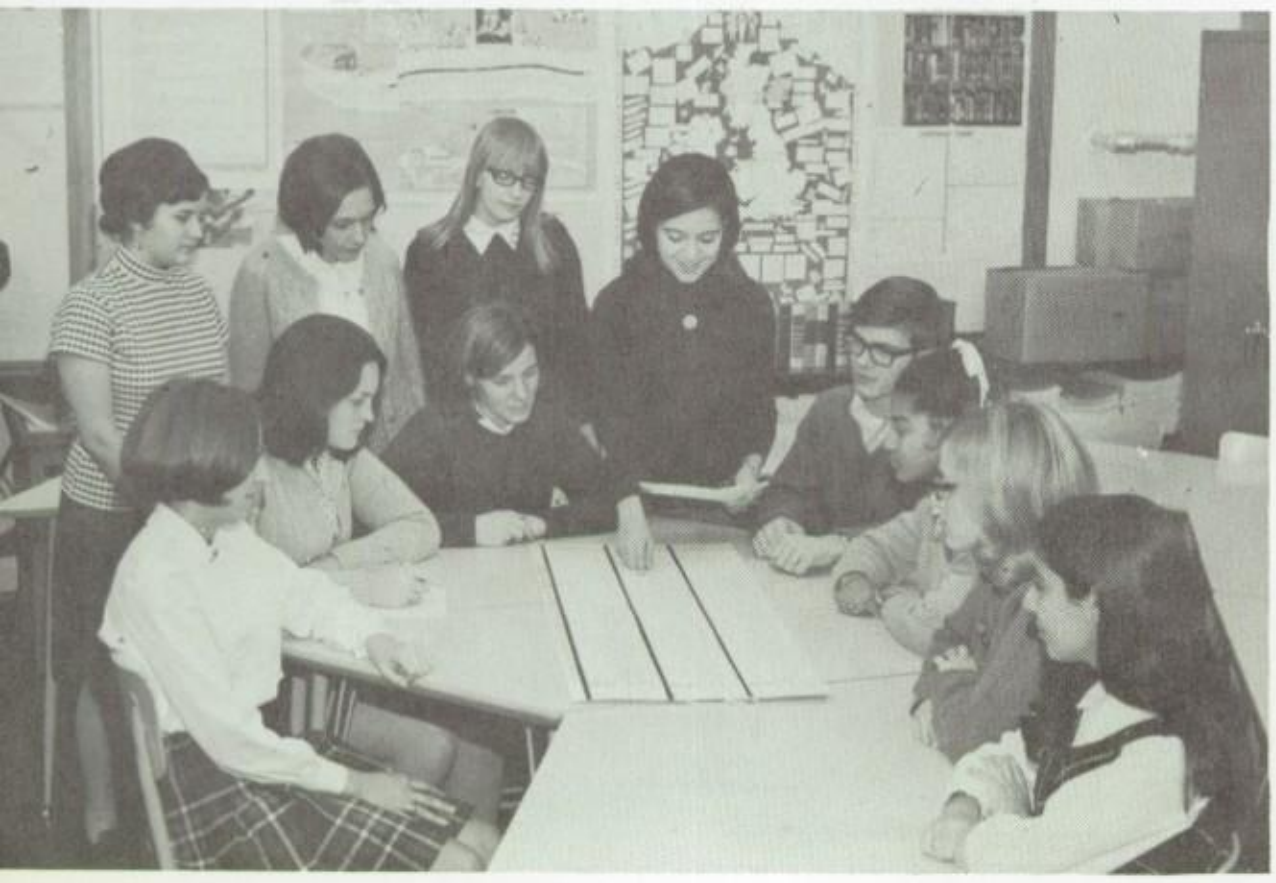
Senior Show Committee

Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Chairman—Phyllis Moser

After "David and Lisa" was selected to be this year's senior show, tryouts were held, but because of the lack of student response, the show was cancelled. As a result, it was decided that there would be no senior show for the "Class of 1969."

Originally, the senior show was scheduled to take place on April 10, 11 and 12, 1969.

Foreground — Mary Messer, Kathleen Grant, Linda Luckenbill; *Rear*—Phyllis Moser, chairman; Diane Kase, Barbara Kohl, Thomas Scalzi, Nancy Schneider, Kathleen Diem, Richard Fisher; *Absent* —Jane Trafford, John Epler, Margaret Stoner, Dennis Nitardi, Judy Young



Class Day Committee

Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Chairman—Maria Dialectos

Members of this committee discussed at considerable length the suggestions forwarded to them as to what activities should take place on the Senior Class Day, Friday, May 23, 1969.

Finally, a variety show was planned for the morning, and an outing at Hershey Park for the afternoon and early evening.

Clockwise—Lynn Hummel, Susan Stahl, Diane Kase, Maria Dialectos, chairman; Peter Stelmach, Rosalyn Hill, Arielle Klonsky, Maria Alexander; *Rear*—Judy Koller, Patricia Esterline, Susan Snyder; *Absent*—Lindy Houck, David Silliman, George Yatron, Robert Care, Nancy Ettaro, Carol Collihan

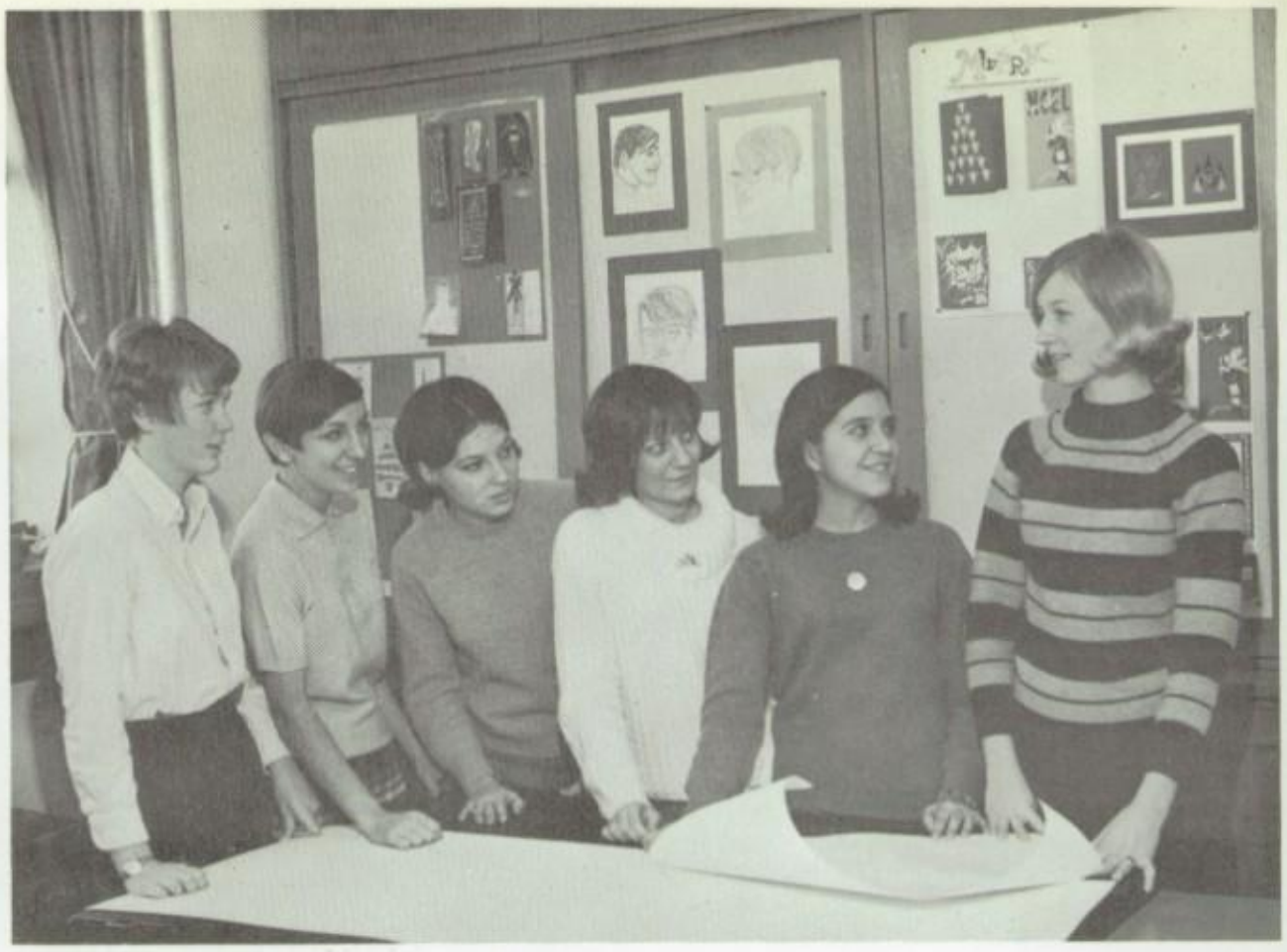
Senior Committees

Prom Design and Decoration Committee

Sponsor—Mrs. Doris A. Herbine
Chairman—Jill Stump

Basically, the first responsibility of this committee was to determine what means were to be used to provide the appropriate environment for the prom theme, "Sayonara."

In carrying out their plans to make the Albright College Field House into an oriental paradise, committee members prepared or acquired the necessary table, floor, wall and ceiling decorations. For the larger props, this group worked in close harmony with the Prom Construction Committee.



Marcia Epler, Annette Barberi, Cynthia Lash, Donna Didyoung, Maria Dialectos, Jill Stump, chairman; *Absent*—Gail Eichler, Judy Delp

LaDonna Tothero, Sharon Harms, Sherry Wise, Judy Jaworski, Sally Nyhuis, Jacqueline Bensing, Donna Schropp, Beverly Schultz; *Absent*—Kathy Becker, Laura Weir

Seated — Ellen Henry; *At desk* — Lyvia Georgeadis, Mary Ann Gerhard, Nanette Visner, Diane Kase, Cheryl Bucca, Rosalyn Hill, Phyllis Moser; *Rear* — Michele Fitzgerald, Dianne Kunkelman, Wendy Storch, Robin Lorah; *Absent* — Arlene Nodzak, Jesse Adams

Senior Committees

Prom Design and Decoration Committee

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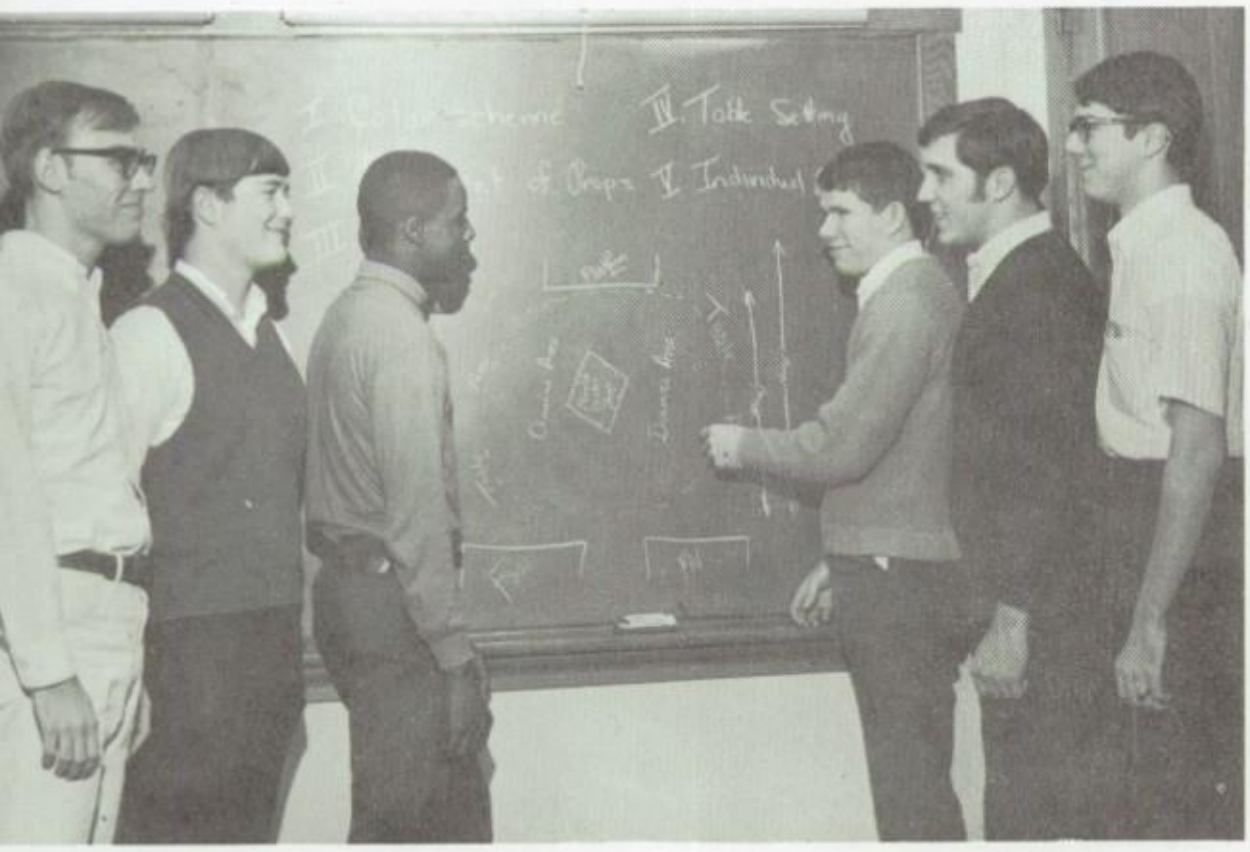
Marcia Hare, Maryann Baver, Lannie Jarvis, Daphyn Rapp, Marcia Seiple, Charlotte Zaffiro, Sandra Wollyung, Sandra Michael, Robert Thomas; *Absent*—Robert Miller, Lynn Pehlman



Prom Construction Committee

Sponsor—Mrs. Doris A. Herbine
Chairman—Martin Grant

For the most part, it was the duty of this committee to arrange for the making, assembling and erecting of the large props to be used for the prom.

As a result of the combined efforts of the personnel of the Prom Design and Decoration Committee, this committee, and others, the Albright College Field House was transformed into a.delightful oriental setting which Castle knights and ladies will long remember.

Martin Wahl, Alan Altenderfer, Vernon Carraway, Martin Grant, chairman; Timothy Gable, Larry Henry; *Absent*—Ken Graves, Merle Johnson

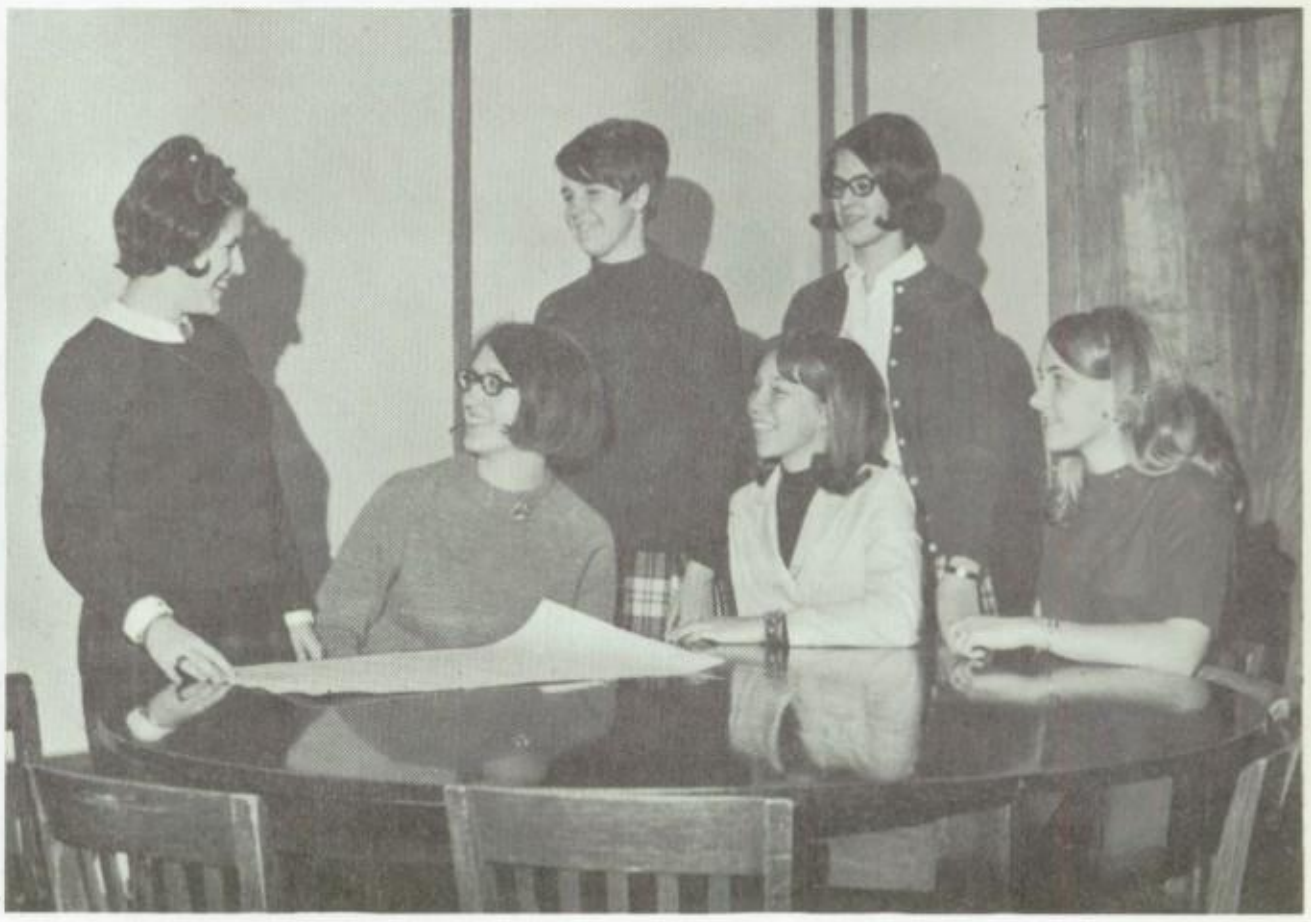
Prom Reservation Committee

ponsor—Mrs. Doris A. Herbine
hairman—Joy Salon

Preparing the master floor plan or the Senior Prom was this ommittee's first large task. Matters which had to be taken into ccount in preparing the basic ayout were what areas would be eeded for the faculty receiving ne, the refreshment tables at oth ends of the gymnasium floor, he stage for the orchestra, and he photographer's section.

After completing the students' eservations for this senior acivity, the committee members lso organized the seating arangements and gave each couple table assignment.

eated—Pamela Bush, Carol Falter, ida Millek; *Standing*—Joy Salon, hairman; Penny Kissling, Sue Reifnyder



Senior Committees

Activities Committee

Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Chairman—Sharon Gertney

Activities which had not been specifically assigned to any other senior committees were handled by the Activities Committee.

Special projects sponsored by this committee were a Halloween Dance, the "Football Frolic" which was held Friday, October 18, 1968, and the special senior activity, "Senior Mardi Gras," which took place on November 9, 1968 at 8:00 P.M. in the gymnasium.

Seated—Ella Schutt, Phyllis Rozanski, Linda Cawalla, Diane Kase, Sharon Gertney, chairman; Maria Dialectos; *Standing* — Susan Snyder, Lynn Rebholz, Terry Zabinski, Robert Mitchell, Robert Caster, Terry Fisher, Vita DiMaria, Patricia Esterline; *Absent*—Robert Moyer, Karen Orth, Scott Beidler

Welfare Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers
Chairman—Anthony Premici

Sending get well wishes or making personal visitations to students who were either hospitalized or homebound were the main duties of the Welfare Committee.

In addition, members of this committee forwarded expressions of sympathy and comfort to classmates who experienced a bereavement in their immediate families.

On behalf of the senior class, the committee sent a message of condolence to the family of the late Wasyl Karacz, a senior, who died September 6, 1968.

Seated—Peggy Updegrave, Nan Hinkle, Elaine Schein, Anthony Premici, chairman; *Standing*—Janet Taubitz, Colleen Wentzel; *Absent*—Andrea Garl

Publicity and Scrapbook Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Ronald J. Lubas
Co-Chairmen—James Nicholas
Peter Nicholas

Seniors were well informed about the activities of the "Class of 1969" as a result of the continuous services rendered by members of the Publicity and Scrapbook Committee.

To publicize the senior events, the group used press releases, posters, bulletin notices, the Red and Black newspaper, and the school's television show, "Knight Life."

For the scrapbook, the committee members collected all the available pictures and newspaper articles of senior activities and classified them accordingly.

Seated—Peter Nicholas, James Nicholas, co-chairmen; *Standing*—Milton Gasparis, Sandra Wise, Joyce Koller; *Absent*—Ramona Turner, Diane Kase

eated—Constance Steubner, Claudene Shuman, Curtis Ritter, chairman; nna Fischer, Kathy Kochan; *Standing*—Patrick Ciervo, Eric Jaxheimer; *bsent*—Carol McCullough

Baccalaureate Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers
Chairman—Curtis Ritter

Before the baccalaureate services, the chief duties of this committee were to assist the seniors in learning the processional and recessional procedures.

In addition, the group prepared appropriate floral arrangements for the services which were held in the high school auditorium on Sunday, June 1, 1969. As in previous years, services were scheduled for 2:00 P.M. and 4:00 P.M. so as to provide adequate seating accommodations for graduates and friends.

Commencement Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers
Chairman—Louise Vogel

First tasks for members of this committee were to insert diplomas in leather cases for seniors of the twenty-six homerooms.

Later, committee members had to collate and pack commencement programs for distribution on June 5, 1969 at 7:00 P.M., at the City Park Bandshell, or in case of rain at the Albright College Field House.

As a special service to the faculty, the group also served as assistants during commencement rehearsal.

Seated—Jean Gillespie, Kay Cronrath, Barbara Levin, Louise Vogel, chairman; Sue Kemery; *Standing*—Jacquelyn Balthaser, Linny Snyder, Richard Beard, David Glass, Spyridon Patton; *Absent*—Bonita Johnson

Reunion Committee

Sponsor—Mr. Paul L. Sommers
Chairman—Peggy Davis

During the past year committee members prepared a master file of the names and addresses of the senior class for future reference.

After graduation, the chief responsibilities of the committee will be to determine and inform the graduating class as to the time, date and locations of future reunions.

Seated—Joan Spencer, Sandra Sedoti, Peggy Davis, chairman; Christina Dondore, Sheila Hirneisen; *Standing*—Rachelle Naugle, Maureen Trump, Deborah VanLuvender, Diane Kase, Sandra Heiser, Sherry Lutz, Karen Brown; *Absent*—Sharon Gertney

Senior Personalities

MOST POPULAR

Richard Koch

Jill Stump

MOST ATTRACTIVE

Robert Krug

Lynne Kreider

MOST STUDIOUS

Frederick Kistler

Kathleen Grant

BEST DRESSED

David Gundrum

Robin Dunkelberge

MOST TALENTED

Timothy Gable

Margaret Stoner

MOST ATHLETIC

Francis Coleman

Diane Reber

WITTIEST

David Glass

Pamela Bush

Senior Personalities

MOST ORIGINAL

Tyrone Black

Judith Delp

BEST ALL AROUND

James Littlejohn

Judy Jaworski

MOST COURTEOUS

ames Nicholas

Nan Hinkle

QUIETEST

Dennis Simon

Kathleen Villforth

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

Peter Stelmach

Maria Dialectos

FRIENDLIEST

George Yatron

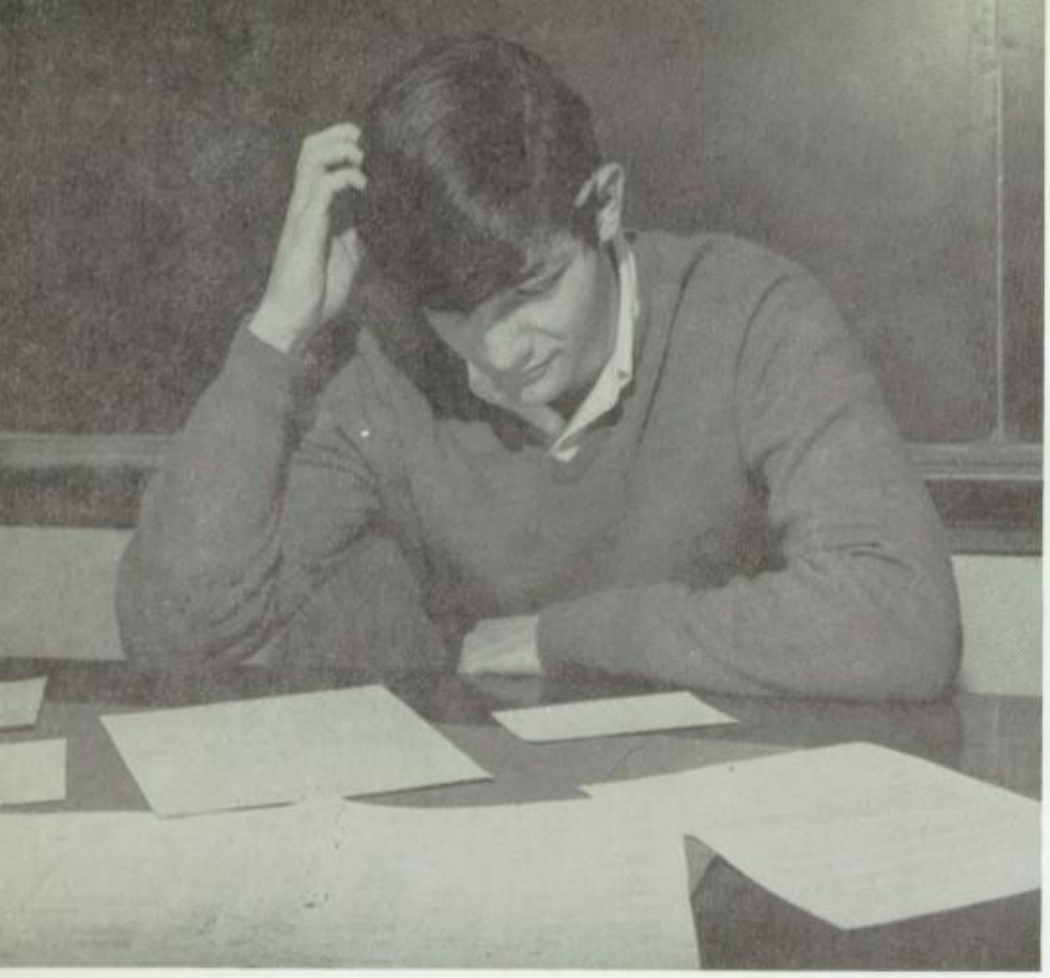
Joy Schuler

MOST ENTHUSIASTIC

Gerry Wertz

Sharon Gertney

Senior Candids

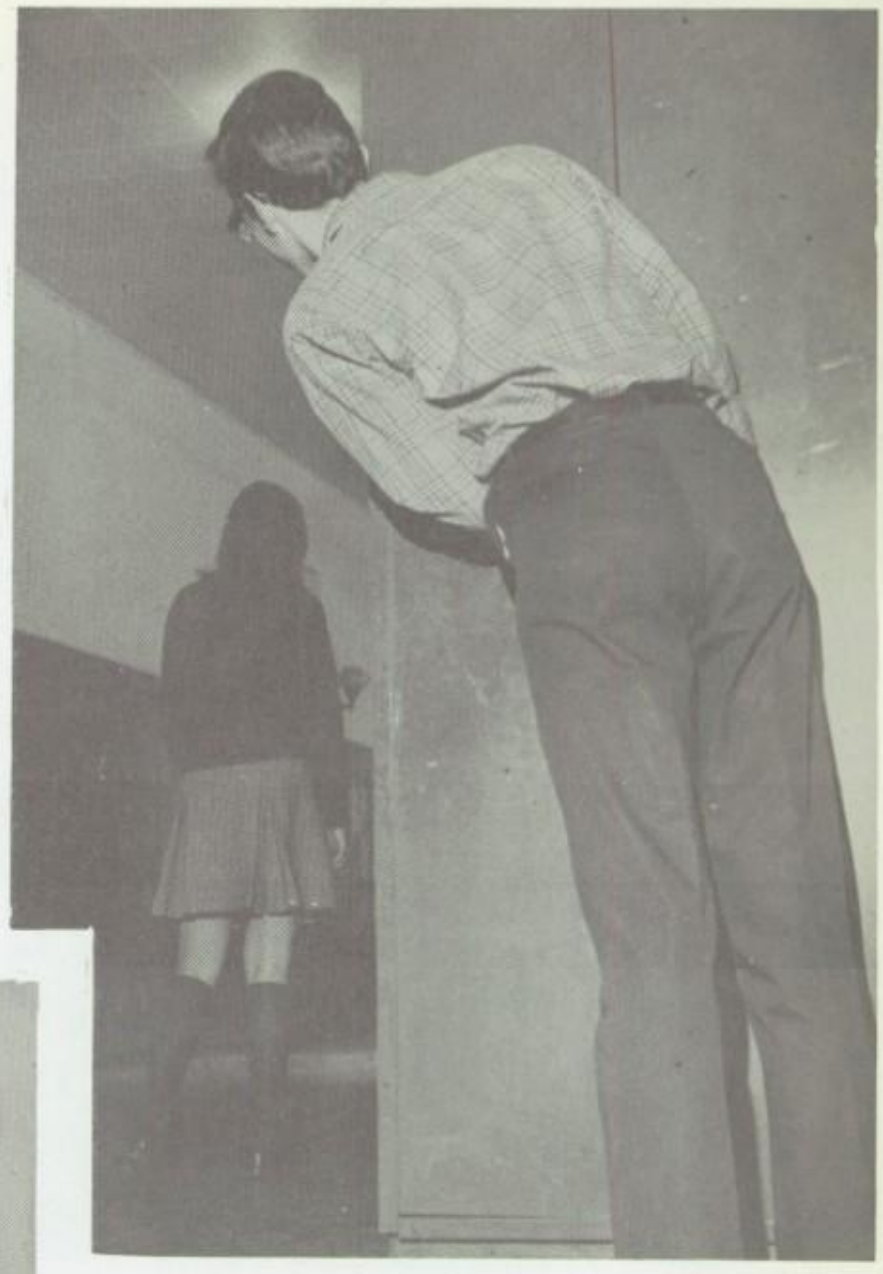


"Where should I begin?"
Bruce Campbell

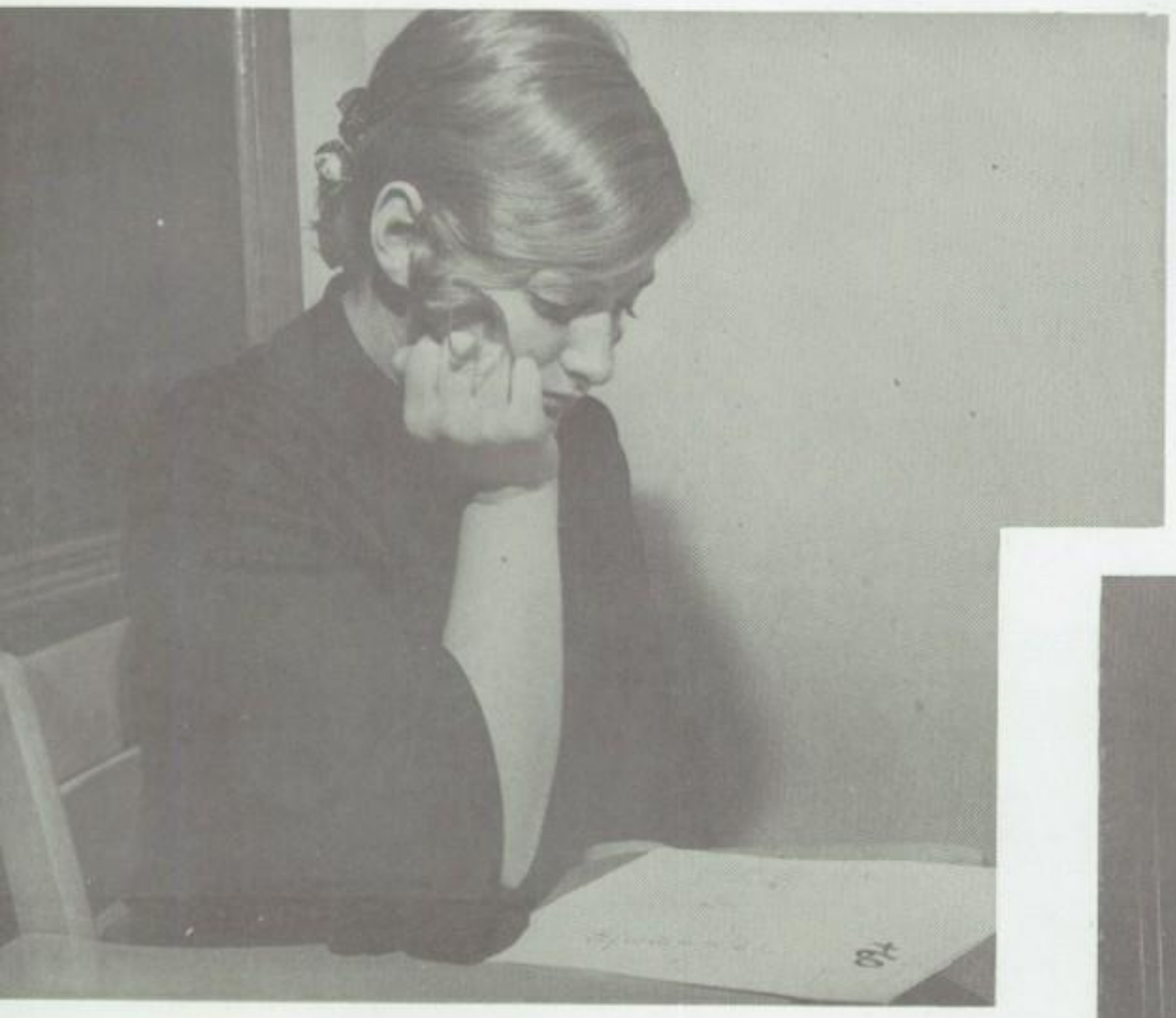
"Don't press so hard; that tickles."
Robert Boucher, David Balloch

"Something must be wrong."
Marlene Bendrick

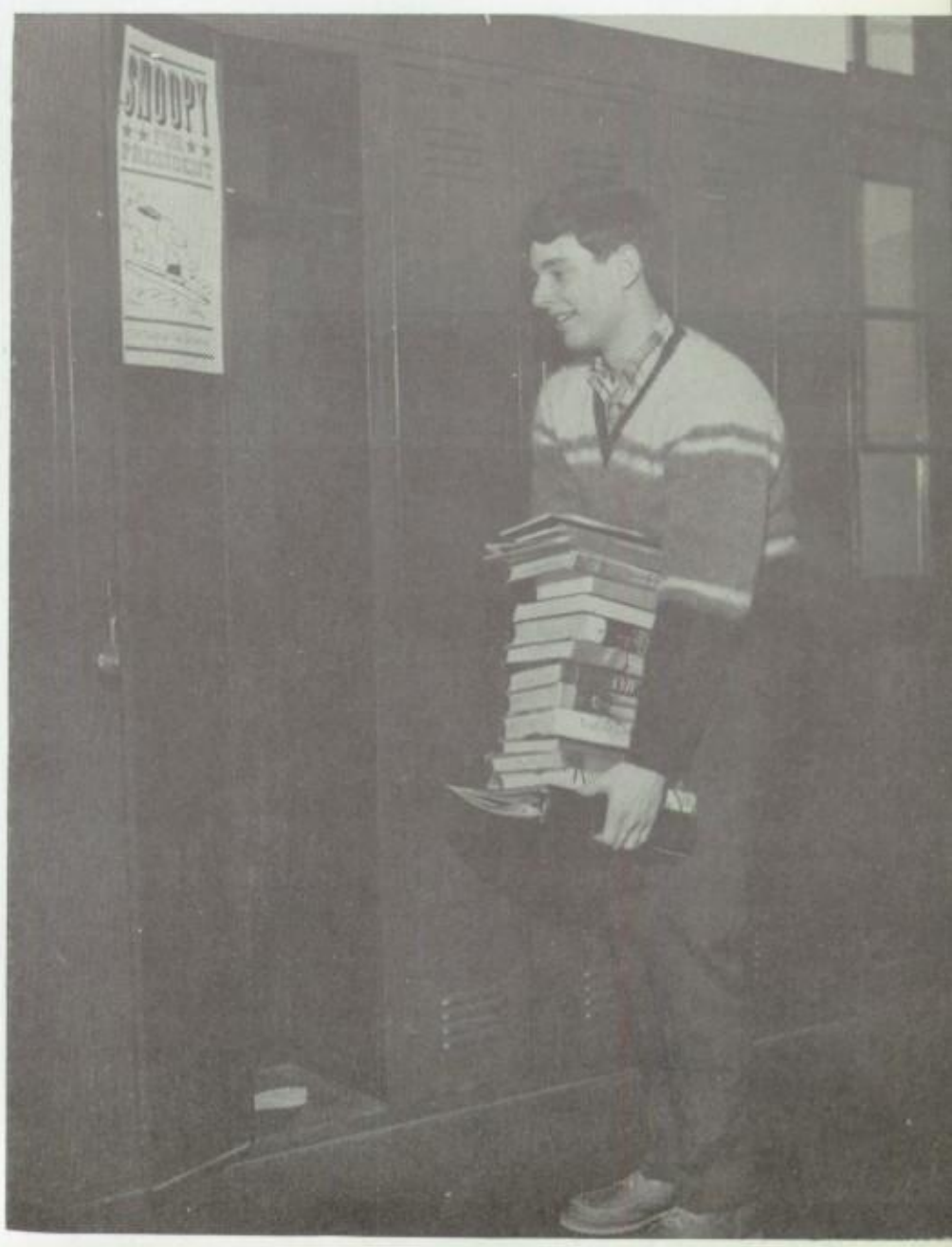
Senior Candids



"There she goes again."
Nan Hinkle, John Printz

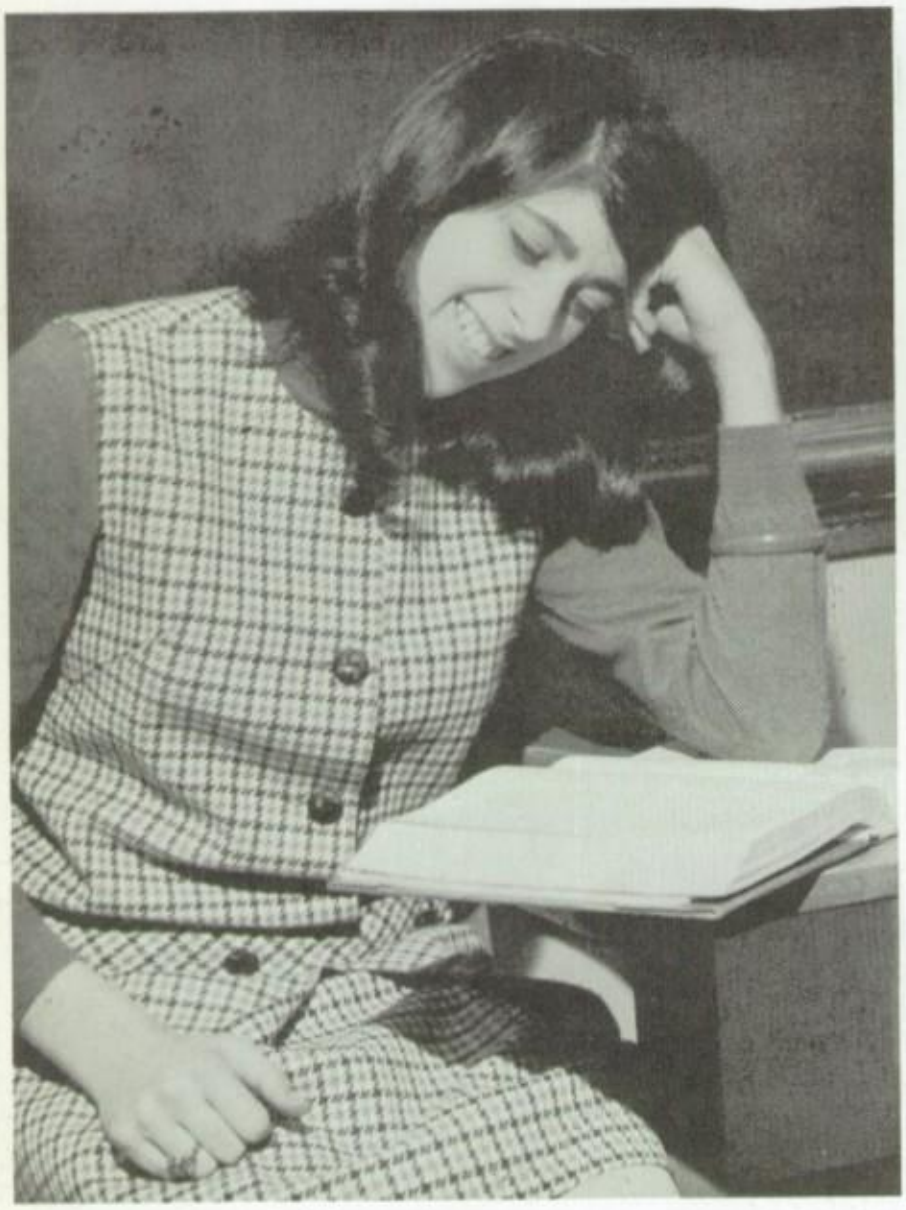


"What a way to start a marking period."
Lannie Jarvis



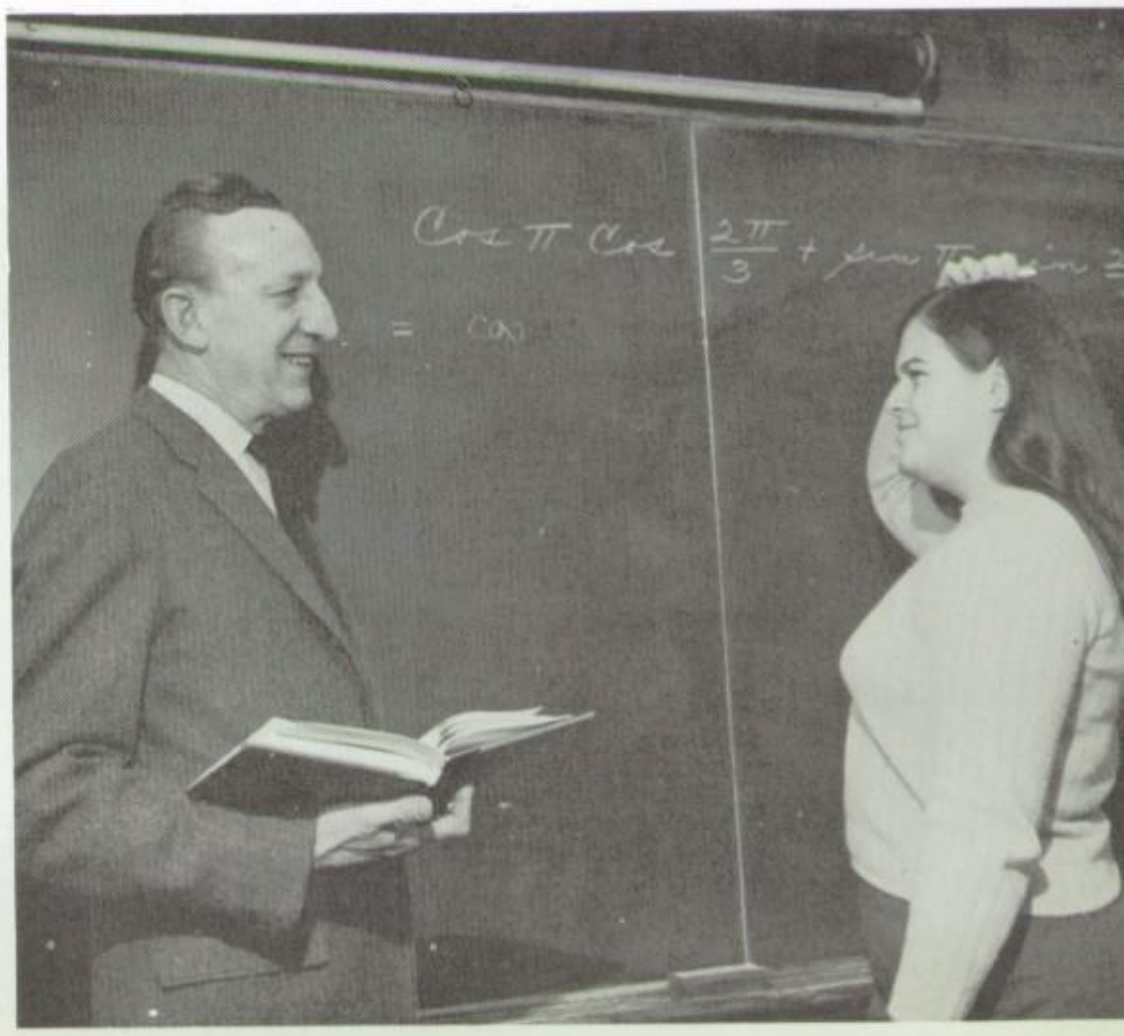
"I'm going to do a little studying tonight."
Fred Kistler

Senior Candids



"Now comes the interesting part."
Mary Reber

"Who's that dreamboat?"
Sherry Lutz, Sandra Wise



"What's next?"
Mr. Karl A. Morgan, teacher; Jean Gillespie

Senior Candids

"I hope they have a gown to fit you."
Scott Guldin, Sandra Heiser

"Where will the future lead me?"
Carolyn Scholl

"It won't be long now."
Nancy Schneider

Senior Prom

Sherry Lutz and James Jablonski

Shortly before the prom, the loveliness of the ladies was enhanced by the beautiful corsages presented to them by their escorts.

Senior Prom

Theme—Sayonara

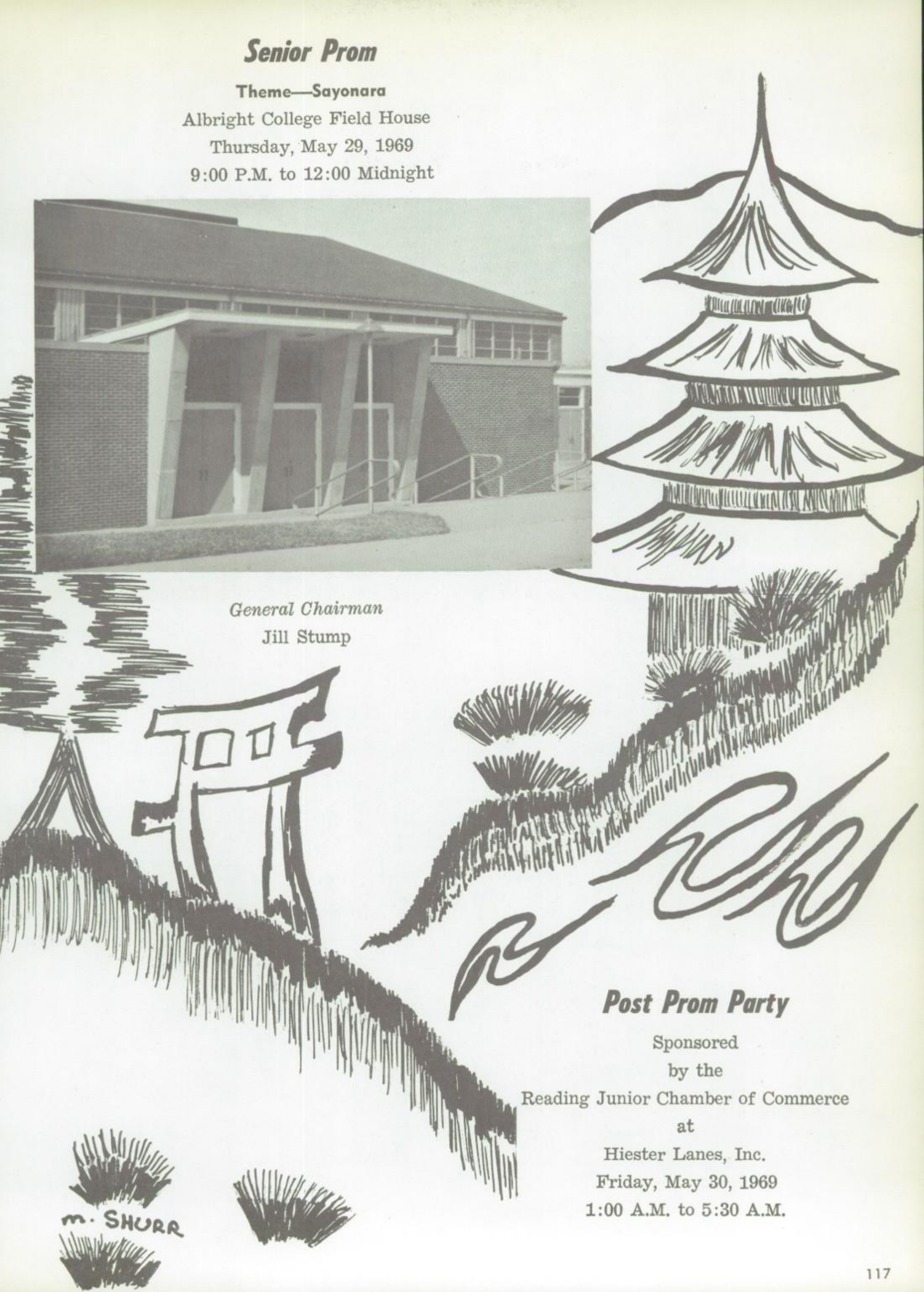
Albright College Field House

Thursday, May 29, 1969

9:00 P.M. to 12:00 Midnight

General Chairman

Jill Stump



Post Prom Party

Sponsored

by the

Reading Junior Chamber of Commerce

at

Hiester Lanes, Inc.

Friday, May 30, 1969

1:00 A.M. to 5:30 A.M.

Baccalaureate Services

Sunday, June 1, 1968

Reading High School Auditorium

2:00 P. M. Service

Speaker

Reverend
Charles W. Barner

Assistant

Reverend
Samuel Jaxheimer

4:00 P. M. Service

Speaker

Reverend
Frank E. Reynolds

Assistant

Reverend
Angelo Richardson

Commencement

Thursday, June 5, 1969

Commencement Address

"The Wonderful Challenge of Years Ahead"

Dr. Robert Kazmayer, author, traveler and for the past twenty-eight years, publisher of the newsletter, "Things to Watch and Watch For" was the speaker at the Reading Senior High School graudation exercises on June 5, 1969, at 8:00 P.M.

He was educated at the University of Rochester and Colgate Rochester Divinity School. In 1956, Dr. Kazmayer was granted an honorary L.L.D. Degree from Salem College, Salem, West Virginia.

His special affiliations include membership in the Adventurers Club of Chicago, the Overseas Press Club of New York, and a life membership in the American Academy of Political Science. He is also a charter member of the Anglo-American Goodwill Association of London.

Awards which he received include the famous L'Accueil de Paris citation which was granted to him by the City Council of Paris, France. In 1963, he was given the George Washington Honor Medal for his "Decade of Decision" letter published in 1960 from the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge. Last year, he was invited to become a member of its Board of Lecturers.

He is listed in the Who's Who in America, Who's Who in New York, The International Yearbook, and the Statesmen's Who's Who.

Commencement Speaker

Dr. Robert Kazmayer

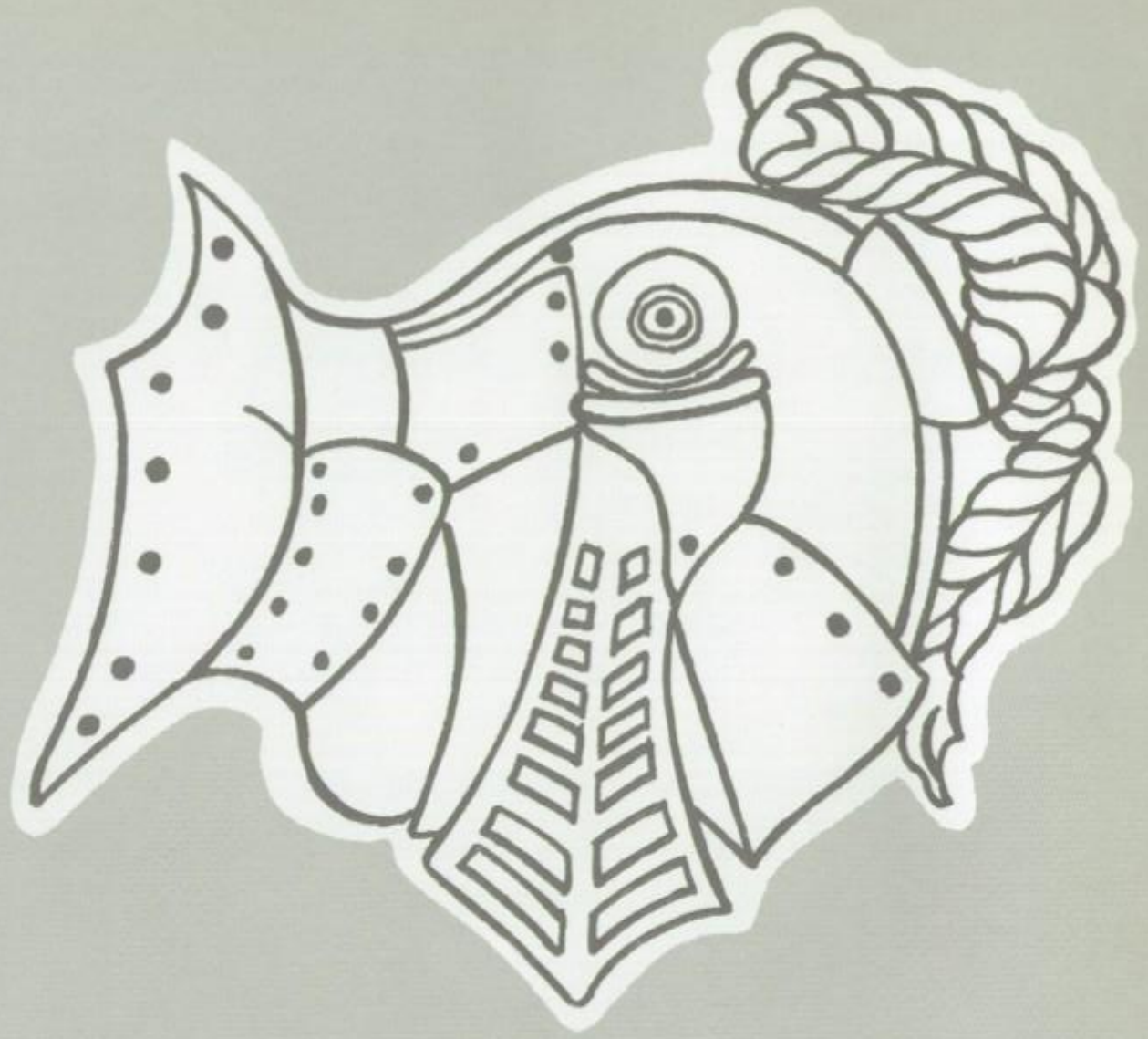
News Analyst, Globetrotter
Author

Class Motto:
Out of the twilight, into the darkness to find the light.

Class Colors:
Black and Silver

Class Flower:
Red Rose

Scene of the 130th Commencement



Activities

Organizations

National Honor Society

Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Assistant Sponsor—
Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr.

To meet the basic requirements for membership in this organization, a senior had to earn a scholastic average in the upper third of the graduating class.

Using a five point rating scale, faculty members then evaluated each student on qualities of leadership, character, and service.

Membership was limited to fifteen percent of the senior class who earned the highest composite scores.

Row 1—Rachelle Naugle, Richette Nowotarski, Michele Steiger, Nancy Ettaro, Susan Grimes, Sheila Hirneisen, Karen Einsel, Diane Kase, Laura Nelson; *Row 2*—Mr. H. Robert Barrett, sponsor; Mr. Paul L. Sommers, Jr., assistant sponsor; Timothy Grant, Joseph Cafoncelli, Larry Henry, Eric Jaxheimer, Robert Krug, Patrick Ciervo, Charles Pawling, Joseph Cupani

Row 1—Sherry Lutz, Jean Gillespie, Ellen Gifford, Deborah Kurtz, Joy Schuler, Susan Stahl, Charlotte Zaffiro, Maria Alexander, Kathleen Grant; *Row 2*—Susan Kemery, Jane Asfeld, Elaine Schein, Anthony Premici, Spyridon Patton, David Reynolds, Donna Treat, Linda Rathman, Judith Jaworski, Connie Cox

Row 1—Kathy Kochan, Claudene Shuman, Carolyn Scholl, Carol Hause, Phyllis Rozanski, Sue Reifsnyder, Sherry Van Buskirk, Gloria Garman; *Row 2*—Dorothy Swavely, Constance Stuebner, Sharon Harms, Nan Hinkle, Curtis Ritter, Frederick Kistler, Terry Schartel, Jill Stump, Kathleen Villforth, Kathleen Renz, Sharon Gertney; *Absent* — Deborah Jagielski, Cathy Saylor

National Honor Society

Sponsor—Mr. H. Robert Barrett
Assistant Sponsor—
Mr. Paul L. Sommers

Since 1966, the new members have been introduced in a special candlelight service during a regular assembly period. This year the ceremony took place on March 11, 1969.

For forty-one years, the National Honor Society has been a Reading High School organization. With the induction of this year's candidates, the total membership to date will be 3,655 students.

Row 1 — Diane Kunkelman, Linny Snyder, Maria Dialectos, Sharon Hill, Phyllis Henry, Michele Fitzgerald, Sandra Michael, Wendy Storch, Margaret Stoner; *Row 2*—Thomas Scalzi, Alan Simmons, Eric Weimer, William Ulrich, John Printz, Anthony Parise

Row 1 — Peggy Davis, Judith Delp, Kathleen Diem, Christina Dondore, Vicky Casper, Robin Dunkelberger, Pamela Bush, Priscilla Beears, Sandra Sparks; *Row 2* — James Nicholas, Thomas Seibert, Timothy Gable, Robert Care, Walker Wadsworth, Charles Bendrick, Bruce Campbell, Terry Van Horn, Stephen Pierce, Peter Stelmach

Row 1 — Joyce Koller, Dale Coller, Delores Merinsky, Linda Nowotarski, Kathy Wert, Sandra McNeal, Louise Vogel, Phyllis Moser, Joanne Faust; *Row 2*—John Weitzel, Thomas Lilac, Dennis Nitardi, Robert Mitchell, William Martin, Michael Palm, Henry Reinoehl, Milton Gasparis, Peter Nicholas, Michael Martin

At the Key Club Leaders' Banquet on January 23, 1969, at Charlie's Valley Inn, sponsors and various organizations were represented.

Mr. John R. McMiller, Key Club adviser from Western Electric; Mr. Ronald C. Dunkelberger, Key Club sponsor; Peter Stelmach, Key Club chairman for the event; Reverend Samuel C. Jaxheimer, Curtis Ritter, president

Key Club

Sponsor—Mr. Ronald C. Dunkelberger

Annual activities of Key Club included the sponsorship of the Activity Queen contest and the Charity Ball. This year the former was held on October 8, 1968, in the school auditorium, and the latter on March 22, 1969, at the Abraham Lincoln Hotel.

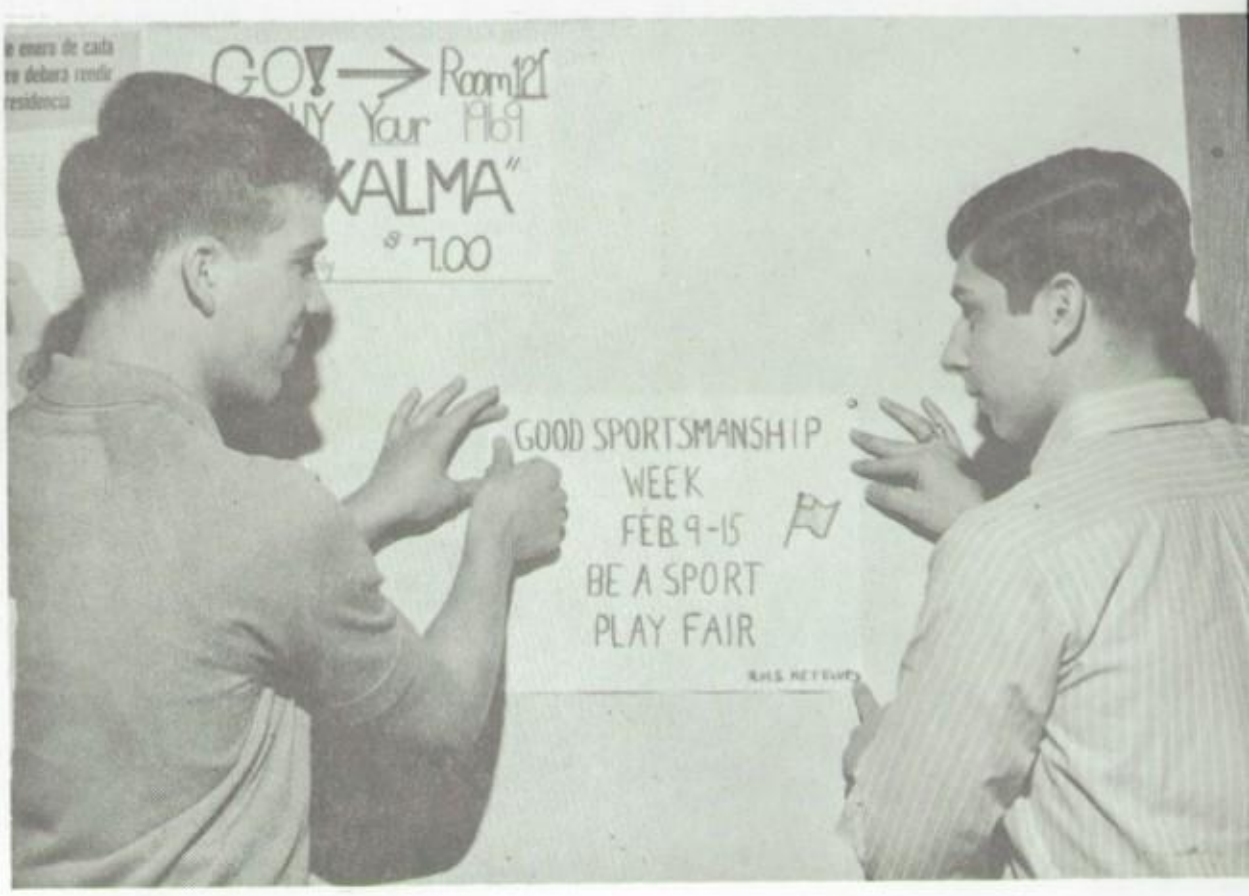
Special drives promoted by this organization were a "Sportsmanship Week," a "Safety Week," and a "Clean-Up Week." Y-Teens helped to co-sponsor the latter project.

In Key Club competition last year, the Castle chapter earned a second place state award for its Achievement Report.

Over the years, the local chapter earned five first place awards in International Achievement competition, and nine first place District honors. In addition, the Castle chapter won four first place laurels in International Scrapbook entries.

During the school year, a week was set aside by Key Club to encourage Castle students to display "Good Sportsmanship."

Rory Gehman, chairman of sportsmanship week committee; Thomas Xavios



Castle ladies and their Key Club escorts enjoyed dancing and refreshments at the Charity Ball, the organization's annual fund-raising event.

Curtis Ritter, president; Jill Stump, Eric Jaxheimer, Diane Kase, William Ulrich, Sharon Gertney

On September 25, 1968, ninety candidates were inducted into the Y-Teens club at the Young Women's Christian Association building at Eighth and Washington Streets.

Y-Teens

Sponsor—Mrs. Patricia O. Loring

Membership in the club this year was one hundred and twenty-five girls. According to the records, this was the largest enrollment since the inauguration of the club.

Activities of this organization included the sponsorship of a punch stop during the first week in September, a fashion show on October 17, 1968, sweatshirt and decal sales campaigns, and a pajama party on February 7, 1969.

Highlighting the community projects was a Christmas party for underprivileged children on December 17, 1968.

Members of Y-Teens served as models at the annual Fashion Show held at the Jewish Community Center on October 17, 1968.

Miss Sue Shiber, Feel-Fine fashion co-ordinator; Arlene Nodzak, student model from Reading High School

At the annual Y-Teen formal, held this year on December 30, 1968 at the Holiday Inn, members and their escorts are shown dancing to the music of the Ray Allen Trio.

New members were inducted into Hi-Y Club on November 13, 1968, in the Reading High School auditorium.

Mr. Samuel T. Frankhouser, sponsor; Thomas Scalzi, vice president; Patrick Ciervo, county representative; Richard Koch, secretary-treasurer; James Bolognese, new member; Terry Zabinski, president; Steve Coleman, chaplain; Mr. James T. Reedy, sponsor

Hi-Y Club

Sponsors—Mr. Samuel T. Frankhouser
Mr. James T. Reedy

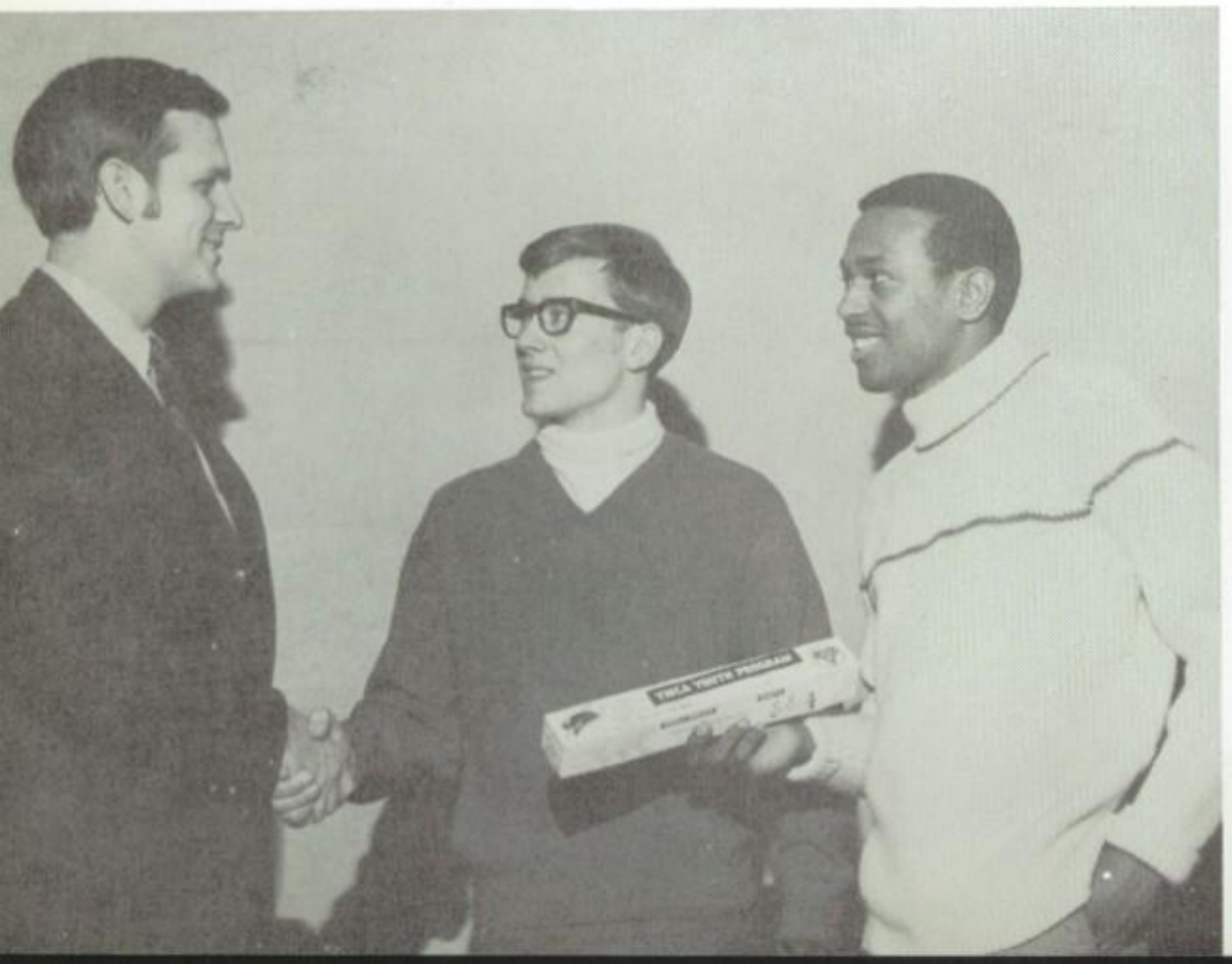
For the community, members of the club collected money for the Cancer and Heart Fund drives and donated food for Christmas baskets for needy families.

School projects included members ushering at home football games and collecting wood for the Bonfire Blast.

Participation in the Youth and Government Day program, which was held in the Capitol Building in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, on March 21-22, 1969, highlighted the club's special activities. In this event, Terry Zabinski, president of Reading High's chapter, was honored by being named senator of the model state legislature.

Volunteers from Hi-Y Club stacked the wood high for the Bonfire Blast pep rally which took place in front of the school's gymnasium on November 27, 1968.

James Plank, Domenic Correnti



Mr. Samuel T. Frankhouser, sponsor, congratulates the two top salesmen of the fund-raising candy drive.

Mr. Samuel T. Frankhouser, sponsor; Glenn Bangs, William Willis

Mr. James W. McIntyre, sponsor of he club, proudly displays the poster nade to simulate students' interest n Castle sports.

Peggy Schwartz, Mr. James W. McIntyre, ponsor; Lois Heffner, treasurer; William Jlrich, president

Civic Pride Club

Sponsor—Mr. James W. McIntyre

Regular meetings of this organization were scheduled to be held at 7:30 in the Reading High School auditorium on the first Saturday of each school month.

Throughout the year this club conducted a variety of activities including an all-school talent show on February 1, 1969, a cultural-educational trip to New York City on December 14, 1968, and also one to Washington, D.C., on March 15, 1969, and seminars on topics of community interest.

At the end of the year, the club awarded a twenty-five dollar "Service to School Scholarship" to the student who, in the opinion of the club, best exemplified courage in overcoming odds, consideration to others, and sensitivity to the problems of young people at Reading High School.

Tim Price Quartet

David Kinkaid, piano; Tim Price, saxophone; Gary Good, drums; Don Hermans, bass guitar

Kinnara

Elwood Reppert, bass guitar; Robert MacDermid, drums; James George, lead guitar

Red and Black

Adviser—Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Highlights of Reading High School's outstanding newspaper, the Red and Black, were the exclusive and informative news reports, dynamic sports reviews, forceful editorials, and interesting feature articles.

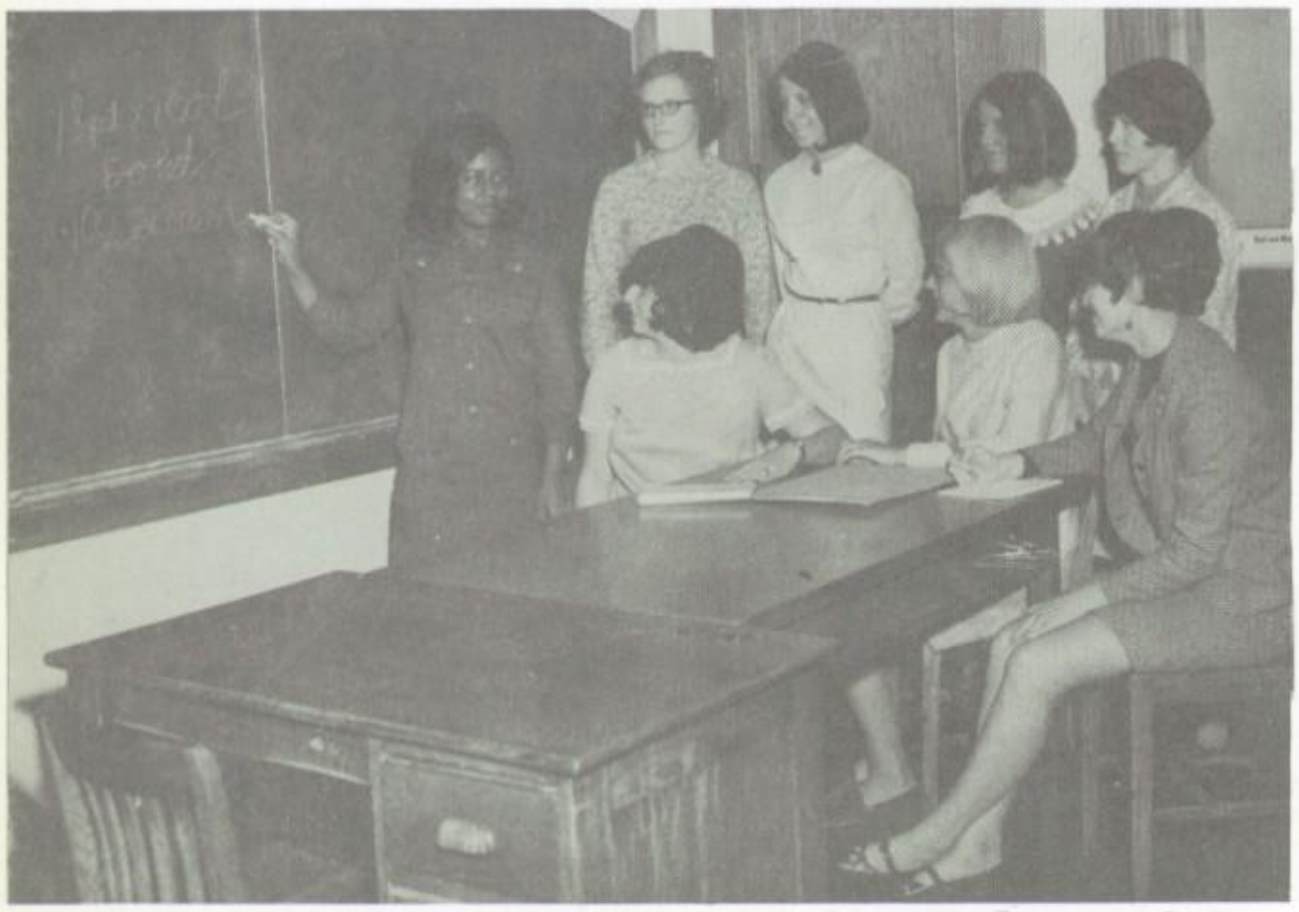
Equipment effectively utilized in the publication room by the members of the staff this year were the twenty new trapezoid-shaped tables.

With the opening of the Reading-Muhlenberg Area Vocational Technical School last fall, the printing of the newspaper was transferred to the new school.

As in previous years, the Red and Black was a member of the Pennsylvania School Press Association.

Staff heads met weekly with the editor-in-chief to discuss the content for each issue of the newspaper.

Seated—Gail Roberts, news editor; Joyce Koller, editor-in-chief; Julie Parker, feature editor; *Standing* — William Boyer, sports editor; James Littlejohn, business manager



Periodically, the news editor told members of her staff about their respective assignments or other pertinent information related to newspaper publication.

Seated—Anna Fischer, Bonnie Klinger, assistant news editor; Marsha Toole; *Standing* —Gail Roberts, news editor; Patricia McClatchie, Barbara Levin, Susan Bubp, Kay Cronrath

Enjoyable layouts which appeared in the paper were carefully planned by the feature editor and her associates.

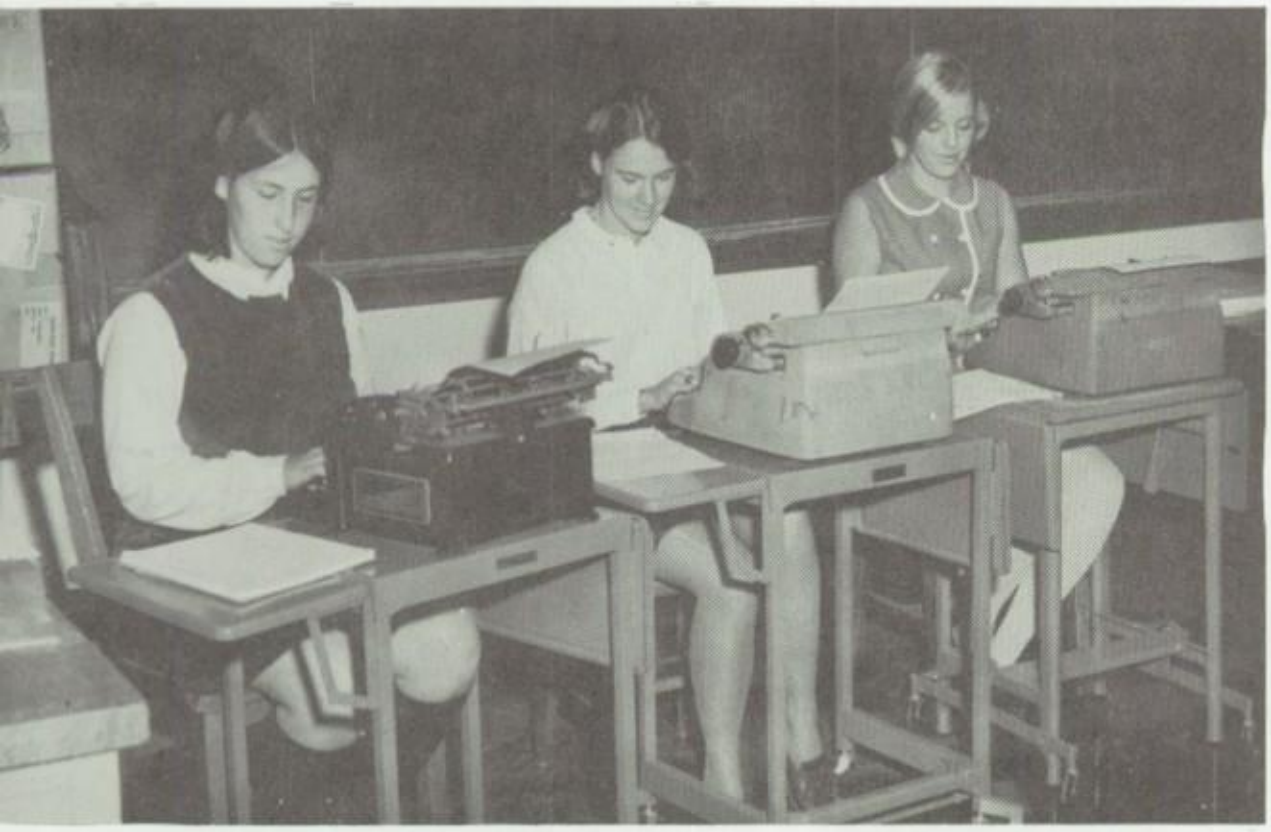
Linda Luckenbill, Julie Parker, feature editor; Lois Feick; *Absent*—Emilie Fioravanti

Red and Black

Adviser—Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Dynamic sports pages were designed to capture the sports interests of Castle readers.

Seated—William Boyer, sports editor; Diane Kase; *Standing*—Scott Beidler, Jeffrey Mountz, Glenn Boyer



Written material for the printer was faithfully prepared by three capable typists.

Joy Blumberg, Holly Smith, Kathleen Brommer

One of the major tasks of the business staff was to distribute the newspapers to the seventy-four homerooms.

Deborah Boyer, Tina Dundore, James Littlejohn, business manager

Red Pen

Adviser—Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Generally speaking, the magazine contained essays, poems and short stories which were submitted by members of the student body plus illustrations prepared by the staff.

Materials offered for publication were reviewed, evaluated and edited by a staff of sixteen students from the English 4X class.

For the first time in Reading High School history, the Red Pen magazine was prepared for printing by the offset method. This was made possible through the use of the lithograph equipment in the new graphic arts department of the school.

At the beginning of the year, Robert Care, editor, met with staff heads to determine the general format and policy of the magazine.

Seated—Robert Care, editor; Joanne Marmarou, co-art editor; *Standing*—Timothy Gable, short story editor; Diane Kase, poetry editor; Jill Stump, co-art editor; Anthony Premici, publicity editor; Karen Orth, essay editor.

To stimulate student interest for the magazine, Jill Stump, the art editor, placed many posters throughout the building announcing the publication's fall drive.
Jill Stump

Before publication, all literary materials submitted had to be carefully screened by staff members.

Seated—Dierdre DiGirolamo, Sandra Sparks, Sherry Lutz, Bonita Johnson, Penny Kissling, Barbara Levin; *Standing*—Wendy Storch, Maria Dialectos, Diane Glass

Castle Page

Adviser—Mr. Joseph G. Plank

Following a pattern established seven years ago, the mimeographed newspaper contained editorials, special articles, sports news and features.

As in previous years, the publication was a member of the Pennsylvania School Press Association.

Castle Page's editor, Emilie Fiorvanti, prepares the copy for mimeographing while typist Vicky Casper finishes one of the pages.

Standing — Emilie Fiorvanti, editor; *Seated* — Vicky Casper, typist

Knight Life

Sponsor—Mr. Thomas A. Fox

In the two years that Reading High School has had a television show, all of the programs were televised from the WRFY Studios in Mount Penn. Broadcasts were made every Monday evening between 6:30 P.M. and 7:00 P.M. on Cable Channel 5.

Featured on the Castle's "Knight Life" presentations were news reports, school talent, and interviews.

Before going on the air, Mr. Thomas A. Fox, the sponsor, checks over last minute details with the participants of the January 27, 1969 show on Japanese culture.

Mr. Thomas A. Fox, sponsor; Louise Vogel, mistress of ceremonies; Spyridon Patton, master of ceremonies; Mr. Chester J. Pilgrim, guest for the program

Mr. Mac Keppel, on the professional staff of WRFY-TV, was cameraman for the weekly show.

Spyridon Patton, the master of ceremonies, opens the show while Louise Vogel, the mistress of ceremonies, awaits to interview Mr. Chester J. Pilgrim, a member of the faculty.

Spyridon Patton, Louise Vogel, Mr. Chester J. Pilgrim

On the February 17, 1969 program, Spyridon Patton, master of ceremonies, interviewed members of the art and editorial staffs of the Arxalma.

Joanne Talarico, art staff; Spyridon Patton, master of ceremonies; Carol Collihan, editor-in-chief; Sandra Sparks, copy editor; Sandra Wise, picture editor; Dianne Kunkelman, senior editor; *Absent*—Rachel Bartlett, managing editor

Future Teachers of America

Sponsor—Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach

Basically, this organization gave students a chance to learn and explore the opportunities and rewards of the teaching profession.

With an enrollment of one hundred and twenty-two students, the membership of the club was the largest in four years.

Guest speakers representing various instructional areas in education were featured throughout the year at various club meetings.

Special activities included a trip to Muhlenberg College on March 13, 1969, and a day with a teacher on April 23, 1969 at a school.

Administrative aspects of the teaching profession were outlined to the group by Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, Supervisor of Physical Education for the Reading School District.

Ellen Gifford, president; Constance Stuebner, vice president; Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, Supervisor of Physical Education for the Reading School District

At one of the meetings, head start participants explained their instructional program to F.T.A. members.

Mrs. Mary Campbell, director of the head start program; Christine Alexander, student volunteer of the head start program; Mrs. Mabel J. Davis, social services coordinator of the head start program

Eighty-two members of the organization took part in the one day field trip to Muhlenberg College for an orientation of teacher preparation.

Future Business Leaders of America

Sponsors—Miss Edith R. Fairlamb
Miss Jean Wentzel

State honors earned in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, by the Reading High School Chapter of the Future Business Leaders of America included the award for placing first in scrapbook competition, plus a first place award in Stenography II, and second in spelling in the individual interests.

At the National Convention in Washington, D.C., this active group won fifth place in spelling.

Highlighting the fund-raising activities of this group was a combined Fashion Show and Card Party held on February 21, 1969, at the Abraham Lincoln Hotel.

Activities of the organization were uccessfully completed as a result of he perseverance of the F.B.L.A. fficers.

eated — Marcia Bright, secretary; Lynn ehlman, vice president; *Standing*—Sharon ill, reporter; Laurie Shaeffer, treasurer; athy Saylor, president

Before her lecture, Miss Yvonne homas, a well-known writer from eading, England, was introduced to he F.B.L.A. representatives by Mrs. onnie Borrelli, mistress of cere-nonies.

Irs. Bonnie Borrelli, mistress of cere-nonies; Miss Yvonne Thomas, speaker; athy Saylor, president; Miss Edith R. airlamb, sponsor

Girls from the organization served as student models for the annual fashion show and card party held this year at the Abraham Lincoln Hotel.

Sharon Hill, Sherry Wise, Dianne Kunkelman, Jackie Bender, Joy Schuler, Mrs. Julia Sabol, teacher at Reading High School; Vida Millek, Sharon Wells, Janet Feger, Marcia Bright, Miss Jean Wentzel, teacher at Reading High School

Girls' Athletic Association

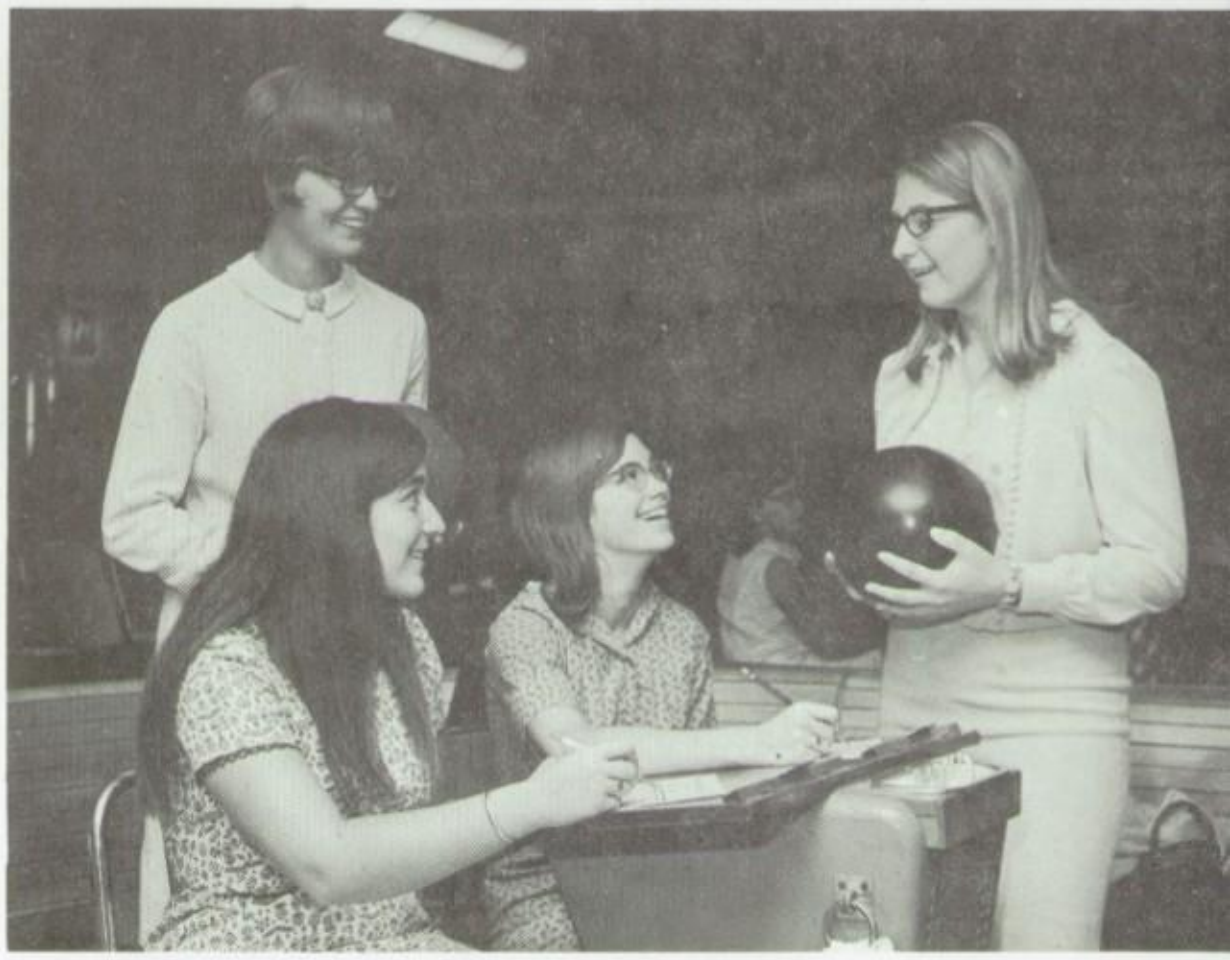
Sponsors—
Mrs. Rita L. Burkey
Mrs. Janet B. Gorman
Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman

Through participation in the intramural sports program sponsored by the Girls' Athletic Association, and by rendering various services at junior high and high school games, a member was able to accumulate points which would qualify her for a specific award.

Awards presented at the annual G.A.A. dinner consisted of chenille letters to girls who acquired five hundred points; Gold "R" pins, one thousand points; and a Guard pin for one thousand-five hundred points.

Officers and representatives proudly display a sample of the attractive chenille letters to be granted to members at the annual G.A.A. dinner scheduled for May 19, 1969.

Seated—Susan Grimes, secretary; *Standing*—Rena Lehr, eleventh grade representative; Diane Reber, president; *Absent*—Sharon Harms, vice-president; Nan Sharp, eleventh grade representative



Bowling was one of the eight athletic activities in which a member could earn points.

Seated—Ann Morganstern, Connie Cox; *Standing*—Deborah Cauff, Judith Reed

Points were also granted to volunteers participating in non-athletic activities such as serving at football and basketball concession stands.

In front of counter—Karen Lerch, Juliann Buzalewski; *Behind counter*—Connie Cox, Deborah Cauff, Jean Gillespie, Debra Fisher, Joan Spencer, Linda Smith, Donna Merkel

United Nations Club

Sponsor—Mrs. Jess F. Cwiklinski

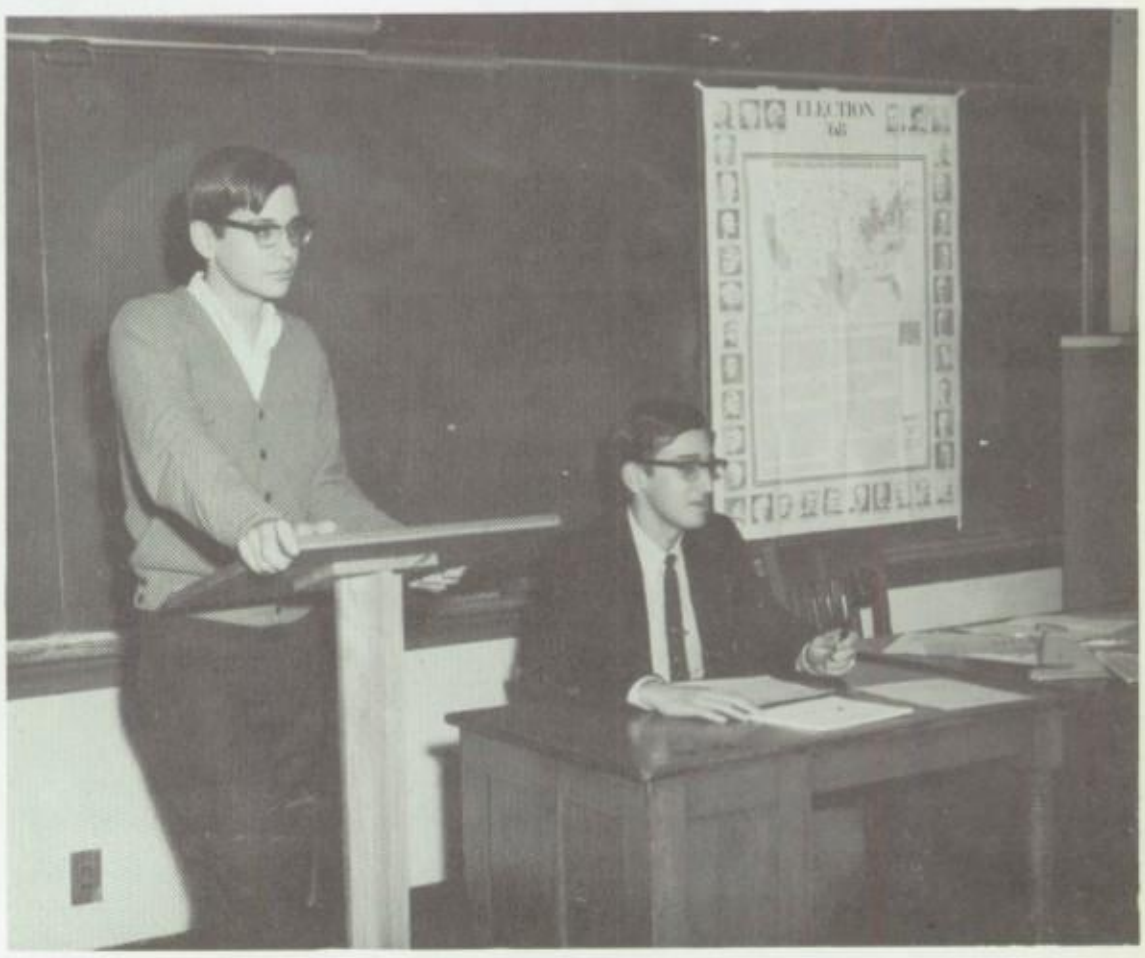
Among the many activities of this club was a trip to the United Nations building in New York City. During this same trip, the Reading High School visited the embassies of the United States of America, United Arab Republic, Nigeria, and the Peoples Republic of Albania.

On December 14, 1968, the Castle group representing the United States of America finished in third place at the Albright Conference. In this event, Peter Stelmach earned an award for being the outstanding delegate in the political committee.

Members of the club also participated in the national United Nations conclave on March 27-30, 1969, at Georgetown University in Washington, D.C., and later in the East Coast Model United Nations Conference held at Millburn, New Jersey on April 18-20, 1969.

At the beginning of the year, each officer of the club studied the basic U.N. chronicle to learn about the countries' policies.

Sharon Harms, vice president; Phyllis Moser, president; Louise Vogel, secretary; Spyridon Patton, treasurer



During one of the club meetings Spyridon Patton acted as chairman of the assembly while Nickolas Patton spoke on the resolution being debated.

Standing—Nickolas Patton, a member; *Seated*—Spyridon Patton, treasurer

Peter Stelmach proudly displays to the members of the U.S.A. delegation the trophy which he earned at the Albright Conference for being the "Outstanding Delegate of the Political Committee."

Seated—Phyllis Moser, president; Sharon Harms, vice president; *Standing*—Sanford Hartman, Peter Stelmach, Patricia Kraras, Deborah McDonald, Ellen Briskin

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Art Adviser—Miss Kathleen L. Reilly
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Mr. Bertolet M. Bossler

Annually, an editorial and an art staff combine their efforts to produce Reading High School's yearbook—the Arxalma.

Work on the 1970 Arxalma began in the early part of January.

During a special meeting, Carol Collihan, editor-in-chief, gave a brief preliminary orientation of yearbook work to a group of new editorial staff members.

Seated—Helene Cohen, Frances Ann Fredericks, JoAnn Meyers; *Standing*—Carol Collihan, 1969 editor-in-chief; Mr. Bertolet M. Bossler, editorial and business adviser; Evelyn Bratt, George Koumaras, Sandra Bucca, Dolores Molak, William Seltzer; *Absent*—Gloria Adams, David Gehry, Joan Haggerty, Joan Hoffman

Speaking to other journalists during the same meeting, Sandra Sparks, copy editor, explained the purposes for using various charts in yearbook production.

Seated—Wilma Bitzer, Janice Switek, Deborah Seisler; *Standing*—Deborah Markowski, Cynthia Huber, Randy Lasky, Jennifer Burford, Dianne Kunkelman, 1969 senior editor; Sandra Sparks, 1969 copy editor; *Absent*—Gail Hummel, Christina Huyett, Brian Jefferson

Sandra Wise, picture editor, showed the remainder of the new editorial staff members the importance of proper picture composition.

Seated—Debra Migliore, Ruth Susan Gale, Debbie Miller, Martina Key; *Standing*—Sandra Wise, 1969 picture editor: Cathleen Paris, Susan Holub, Kathy O'Neill, Beverly Bergum, Yolanda Towles, Michael Daniszewski; *Absent*—Margaret Lockner, Deborah Phile, Hedy Rios, Elaine Schmeck

Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, art adviser, informs students of the various art techniques used in the publication of the yearbook.

Seated—Miriam Shurr, Marilyn Haines, Dolores Zellers, Diane Hertzog; *Standing*—Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, art adviser; Margo Hoffman, Donna Miller, Pat Whitmyer, Jean Friel, Kathy Greth, John Dreibelbis, Carol Philips, Yvonne Coleman; *Absent*—Cindi Bellman

Library Staff

Librarians—Mrs. Pauline S. Obold
Mrs. Eleanor B. Printz
Library Secretary—
Miss Louise M. Kilar

Special activities of the group included a field trip to Kutztown State College, Kutztown, Pennsylvania, on October 16, 1968, where Castle delegates took an active part in the annual program of the Teenage Library Association. Worthy of note is the fact that Miss Jane Ludwig of Reading High School was elected president of the organization for the 1968-1969 term.

During the eighth period each Monday, the library staff members received basic instructions from the certified librarians.
Mary Lee Sensenig, Mary Messer, Carolyn Scholl, Anna Strunk, Linda Remp, Mrs. Eleanor B. Printz, librarian

One of the many skills learned by student librarians in the main library was how to make effective use of the card catalog for special as well as routine assignments.
Dawn Peters, Sallie Ansbach

In addition to the countless other tasks in the workroom, the junior librarians kept the five-year periodical files up-to-date.
Bonita Selig, Rita Swiderski

Red Knight Revue

Sponsor—Mr. Joseph G. Plank

This marked the twentieth consecutive season that Reading High School presented a weekly school radio program. For the past two years, the radio show, Red Knight Revue, originated from the radio studios of WHUM in Reading.

Basically, the show presented student news, sports reviews, Castle talent, interviews with special guests, and popular recordings.

Mr. Allan Lane, program director for radio station WHUM, gives Frederick Kistler and Judith Delp, emcees for the Red Knight Revue, the signal to get ready to tape the show.

Mr. Allan Lane, program director for radio station WHUM; Frederick Kistler, master of ceremonies; Judith Delp, mistress of ceremonies

Stagehands

Sponsor—Mr. Charles G. Thomas

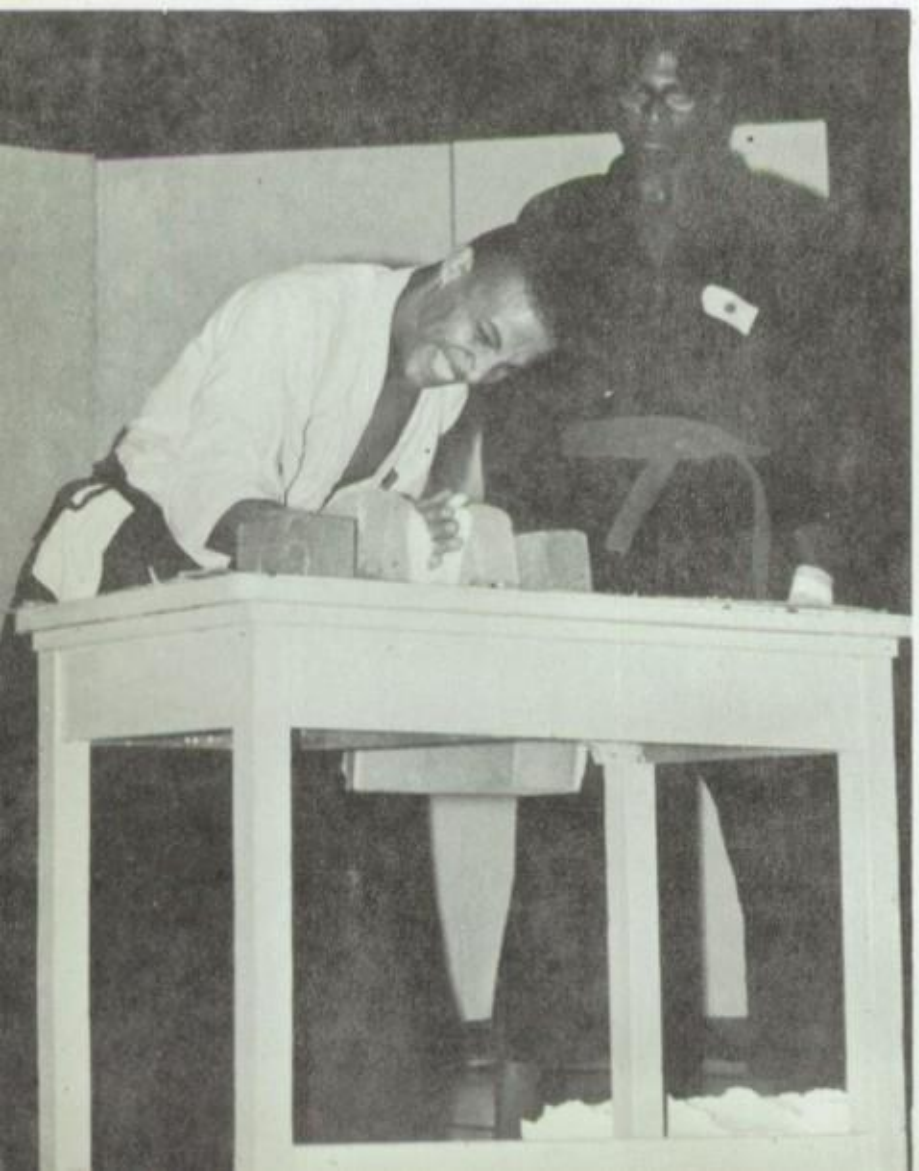
Erection of the stage settings for the various Castle assemblies was taken care of by a group known as the Stagehands. Basically, these volunteers consisted of boys from the wood shop.

In addition, members of this service unit helped to prepare the stage and arrange the props for the commencement exercises held at the City Park Bandshell on Thursday, June 5, 1969.

For the first time in the history of the school, light and audio controls and other electronic equipment in the auditorium were operated by members of the audio-visual aids department.

Two stagehands and Mr. Charles G. Thomas, sponsor, discuss the overhead scenery to be used for one of the assembly programs.

Robert Lakatos, Mr. Charles G. Thomas, sponsor; Jeffrey Michael



Judo and Karate Club

Student Director—Maurice Hayford

Newly added to the list of activities at Reading High School was the Judo and Karate Club. Formed at the beginning of the year, the club's main objective was to help students learn the art of self-defense.

Instruction was provided at the Amanda E. Stoudt Grade School every Monday and Wednesday evening from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

In addition to demonstrations given by the club for the Fellowship House, the Reading High School Standard Evening School, and the Economic Opportunity Council, this group performed in a regular assembly at the Castle.

In the club's assembly on October 15, 1968, Maurice Hayford demonstrated the unique feat of breaking a cinder block in two with his bare hand.

Foreground—Maurice Hayford; *Background*—David Glass

Assembly Chairmen

Sponsor—Miss Mary A. Capallo

Basically, members of this group served dual roles. In assembly, they announced the order of activities for each program. For the morning homeroom exercises, the assembly chairmen led the student body over the public address system.

Seniors who were selected as assembly chairmen were chosen for their writing and speaking abilities as well as voice delivery.

At the beginning of the school year Miss Mary A. Capallo instructed the new assembly chairmen about their respective duties in the auditorium.

Miss Mary A. Capallo, sponsor; Spyridon Patton, Thomas Scalzi, Nathan Kuperstock, Constance Stuebner, Richard Koch, Michael Palm, Curtis Ritter; *Absent*—Karen Orth

Assembly chairmen also used the public address system in the principal's office each morning to direct the opening exercises for the students in the seventy-four homerooms.

Seated—Mr. Roland P. Kyle, principal; *Standing*—Joyce Koller, Kathleen Grant, Joseph Cafoncelli, Julie Parker, Sally Matthews, Frederick Kistler; *Absent*—Peter Stelmach, Louise Vogel

Assembly Organists

Sponsor—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Throughout the year the assembly organists provided processional and recessional music as well as suitable interlude music for the Castle assemblies.

As needed, these versatile organists also played special music for evening lectures and various other assembly programs.

By the end of this school term, Susan Grimes will have served three years as an assembly organist, and Sheila Hirneisen will have completed one year.

Periodically, the organists and their sponsor met to decide appropriate musical selections for the various assembly programs.

Standing—Mr. Charles W. Lutz, sponsor; *Seated*—Sheila Hirneisen, Susan Grimes

Receptionists

Sponsor—Mr. Clinton D. Getz

Personnel in this organization consisted of student volunteers who were willing to sacrifice one or more of their study periods weekly to serve in the capacity of school hostesses.

In the school lobby, these girls extended a cordial welcome to school visitors and directed them to their destinations.

As receptionists in rooms 124-125 of the Guidance Department, the girls greeted visitors, answered telephones and assisted the guidance counselors in completing numerous routines and special tasks.

Seated — Kathy Kochan, Brenda Stittlinger, Sharon Wells; *Standing*—Priscilla Holub, Lorrie Meleon, Linny Snyder, Louise Vogel, Colleen Wentzel, Bonita Selig; *Absent*—Linda Boyer

Seated—Mary Spencer, Claire Drain, Linda Lorah; *Standing* — Barbara Mengel, Marion Reesta, Laura Nelson, Rachel Bartlett, Phyllis Henry; *Absent* —Ellen Henry, Barbara Klinikowski

Seated — Constance Steubner, Mr. Clinton D. Getz, sponsor; Esther Sullivan; *Standing* — Nan Hinkle, Christina Dondore, Peggy Updegrave, Rachelle Naugle, Betty Rathman, Deborah Kurtz; *Absent* —Shirley Schlessman, Deborah Seisler

Office Messengers

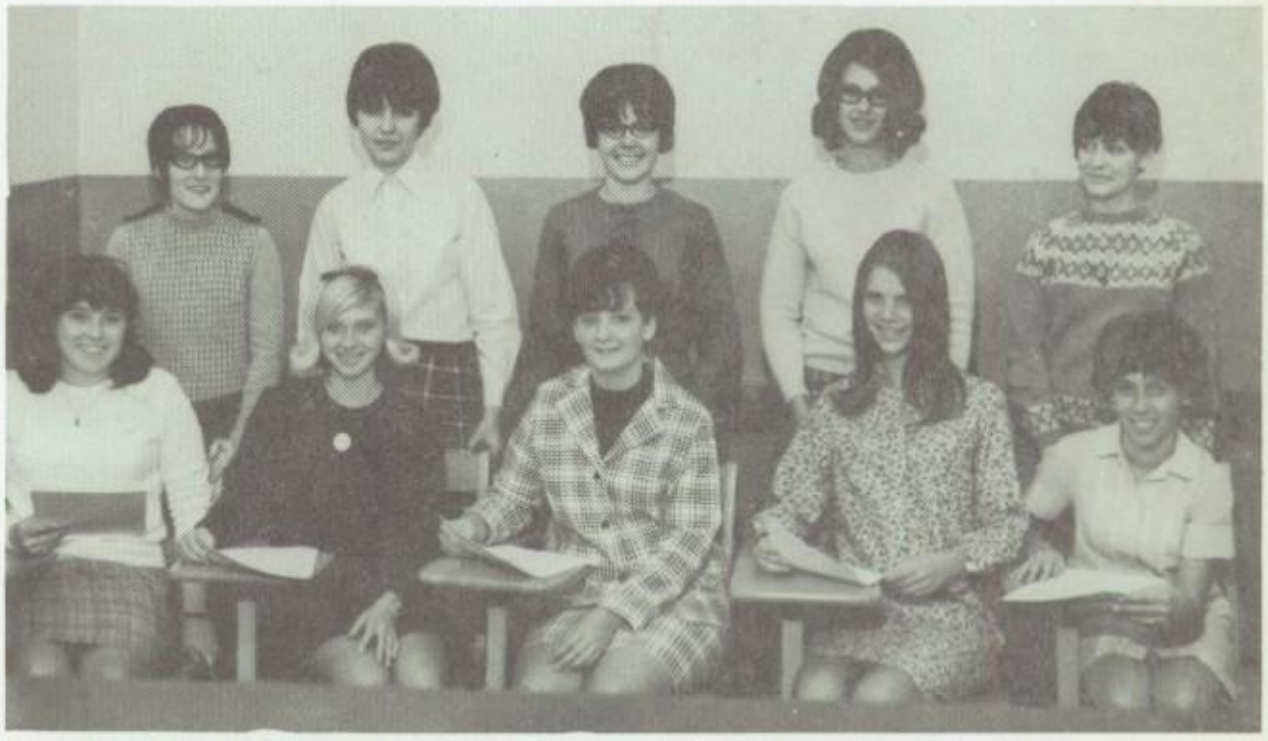
ffice Supervisor—
Mrs. Kathryn D. Shell

Chief duties of the office messengers ere to collect the absentee slips from ne seventy-two homeroom teachers ach morning, to distribute the mimeoraphed sheets of all absentees to every eacher and to gather the daily absenee reports from each teacher at the lose of each school day.

As needed, these student volunteers lso performed minor clerical duties for he office staff.

Janet Wetzel, Jacqueline Bensing, Cathy Saylor, Beverly Schultz, Donna Shropp, Linda Davidson, Donna Didyoung, Kay Cronrath, Bonnie Wolf, Kathy Kochan, Emilie Fioravanti; *Absent*—Deborah Brown, Bonnie Cronrath

eated—Grace Long, Anna Fischer, Marcia Iilones, Daphyn Rapp, Patricia Tobias; *Standg*—Carol McCullough, Sandra McNeal, Gail hioli, Donna Umbenhauer, Annette Barberi; *bsent*—Cathy Huyett, Sandra Drevicki, Donna Ioyer



Seated—Diane Thomas, Elaine Schein, Bonnie Wentzel, Melissa Palm, Judith Ludwig; *Standing*—Cheryl DeTurck, Jacquelyn Balthaser, Kathleen Rentz, Sue Reifsnyder, Charlene Bowers; *Absent*—Margie Jaworski, Jill Stump

Vicky Casper, Robin Lorah, Diane Kase, Linda Cutrona, Barbara Gajewski, Linda Dillingham, Joy Salon, Susan Nye, Debra Foster, Brenda Price, Suzanne Geigle; *Absent*—Jan Melcher, Susan Sonon

Assembly Committee

Chairman—Miss Christine Mavreles

For the most part, the main task of this student-faculty committee was to prepare the master schedule of routine and special assemblies for the year.

Other matters discussed were means which could be used to stimulate greater student interest in assemblies.

Careful planning by this committee resulted in a variety of interesting assembly programs for Castle students.

Seated—Judy Ludwig, Claire Drain, Miss Christine Mavreles, chairman; Linda Cutrona, Stephanie Billys; *Standing*—Mr. William H. Clouser, Mr. James T. Reedy, Mr. Paul Barclay, Mr. Robert E. Moyer, Sandr Wise, James Jablonski; *Absent*—Miss Patricia C. Sands, Mrs. Palma Reynolds, Mr. Charles W. Lutz, Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, Mr. Phillip W. Moore, Miss Mary A. Capallo

At the committee's first meeting, Mr. William H. Clouser, co-chairman, informed the group of the tasks to be completed by the end of the year.

Seated—Sandra Heiser, Mrs. Roumal Chisolm, secretary; Mrs. Theana K. Sheetz, Sharon Gertney; *Standing*—Peter Nicholas, Richard Koch, Dennis Nitardi, James Nicholas, Mr. Richard K. Schaife, Curtis Ritter, Mr. Bernard Kaplan, co-chairman; Eric Jaxheimer, Donna Kaufmann, James Littlejohn, Jill Stump, Mr. William H. Clouser, co-chairman

Awards Committee

Co-Chairmen—
Mr. William H. Clouser
Mr. Bernard Kaplan

After carefully evaluating the basic school service cards, members of this student-faculty committee determined the final list of activities to be included and the number of quality points to be assigned to each.

Near the end of the year, this group was responsible for totaling the number of points earned by each student, and for preparing a list of students who qualified for special recognition.

Service seals were given to those students who earned a pre-determined number of points. Highly cherished gold "R's" were presented to the one percent of the senior class who earned the highest number of cumulative points.

Health and Safety Committee

Chairman—Mr. George A. Pappas

One of the topics discussed at length was the feasability of having a policeman at the Thirteenth and Douglass Streets intersection to control vehicular and pedestrian traffic.

In addition, throughout the year members of this committee kept the students informed of the value of practicing health and safety habits.

Mr. George A. Pappas, chairman, gives a report on the progress made in having a policeman stationed in front of the building at dismissal time.

Seated — Stephanie Billys, Mrs. Julia F. Sabol, secretary; *Standing*—Richard Koch, James Littlejohn, Judy Jaworski, Carol Young, Mrs. Ruth Heist, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, Mr. George A. Pappas, chairman; *Absent*—Mr. Harrison H. Stump

Exhibits Committee

Chairman—Mr. Edwin R. Madenford

This student-faculty committee was in charge of scheduling the displays for the two exhibits cases in the main lobby of the school.

Throughout the year appealing and informative exhibits were erected by instructional departments and numerous school organizations and clubs.

In addition, this committee arranged the means for appropriate displays for holiday seasons and for special school events.

Members of this committee examine one of the many interesting and colorful displays erected by one of the school organizations.

Kneeling—Joy Schuler; *Standing*—Charlotte Zaffiro, Mr. Edwin R. Madenford, chairman, Terry Zabinski, Mr. Bertolet M. Bossler; Absent—Miss Kathleen L. Reilly, Diane Kase

Alumni Service Club

Sponsor—Miss Edith R. Fairlamb

Volunteers from the Future Business Leaders of America organization formed this Reading High School service club.

As in the past years, these girls made a scrapbook consisting of newspaper articles and pictures of local and current happenings of the school.

Information gathered by the club was valuable in aiding groups such as class reunion committees and the Reading High School Alumni Association.

Filing information for future reference and preparing an accurate scrapbook for Mr. Roland P. Kyle, the Castle's principal, were among the activities performed by this organization.

Seated—Vida Millek, Joy Schuler; *Standing*—Colleen Brown; *Absent*—Donna Umbenhauer

Hall Patrol

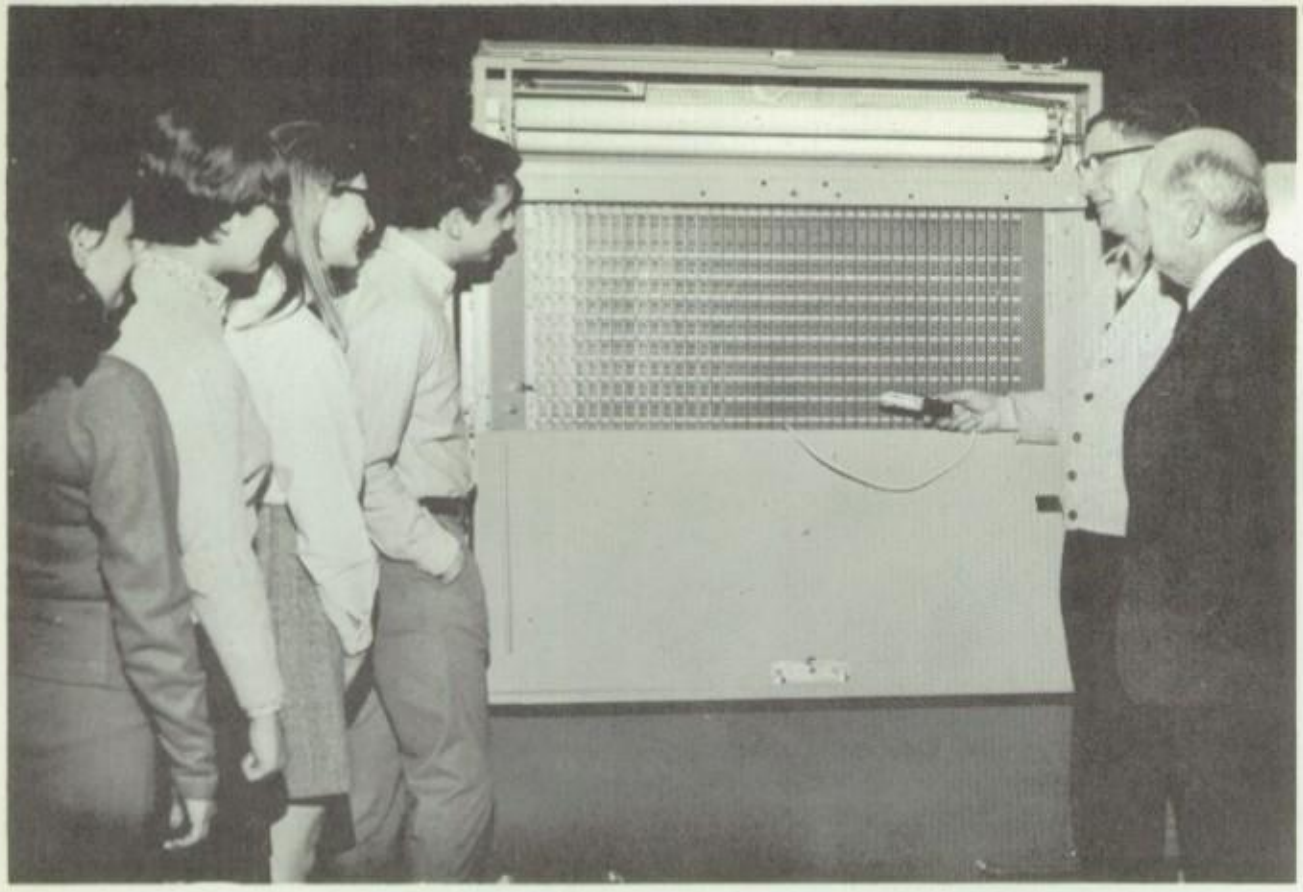
Director—Mr. William H. Clouser

During the fourth period every day, these girls worked forty-five minute shifts at the front entrances of the students' cafeteria.

Basically, the girls issued lavatory lunch permits, directed student traffic, and assisted the faculty members with cafeteria supervision.

Girls of the patrol gathered early in the year to review procedures to be followed while on duty.

Seated—Sharon Gertney, Joanne Marmarou, Maria Dialectos; *Standing*—Pamela Bush, Gayle Zuber, Sally Matthews, Shelia Hirneisen, Jill Stump



During the council elections, Mr. Agnew Dietz, custodian, explained the mechanism of the voting machine to those students who showed a special interest.

Stephanie Billys, Cathleen Paris, Judith Reed, Peter Frank, Mr. Agnew Dietz, voting machine custodian; Mr. Clinton Getz, sponsor

Student Council

Sponsor—Mr. Clinton D. Getz

This representative group o students known as Student Counci acted as a special liaison unit be tween the student body and th school administration.

Consisting of eight seniors, fiv juniors, and four sophomores, thi group considered grievances, opin ions, and suggestions from the stu dent body, and when necessary recommended further study an action to the school administra tion. Likewise, school personne worked in close harmony with th council to promote the general stu dent welfare.

After the induction ceremony, James Littlejohn, previous president of the council, briefs the new officers of their respective duties.

James Littlejohn, president for 1968-69 school term; Jay Lowman, newly-elected vice president; Jeffrey Swoyer, newly-elected president

At the beginning of the school year, Mr. William C. Horine, sponsor, met with representatives from the Security Council to inform them of procedures followed in the event of an air-raid or an emergency.

Seated—James Nicholas, Wendy Storch, Mr. William C. Horine, sponsor; Sharon Harms, *Standing*—Bruce Clelland, Gary Motyl, Jeffrey Brok, Daniel Roland, Gary Adamski, James Jablonski, Linda Dillingham

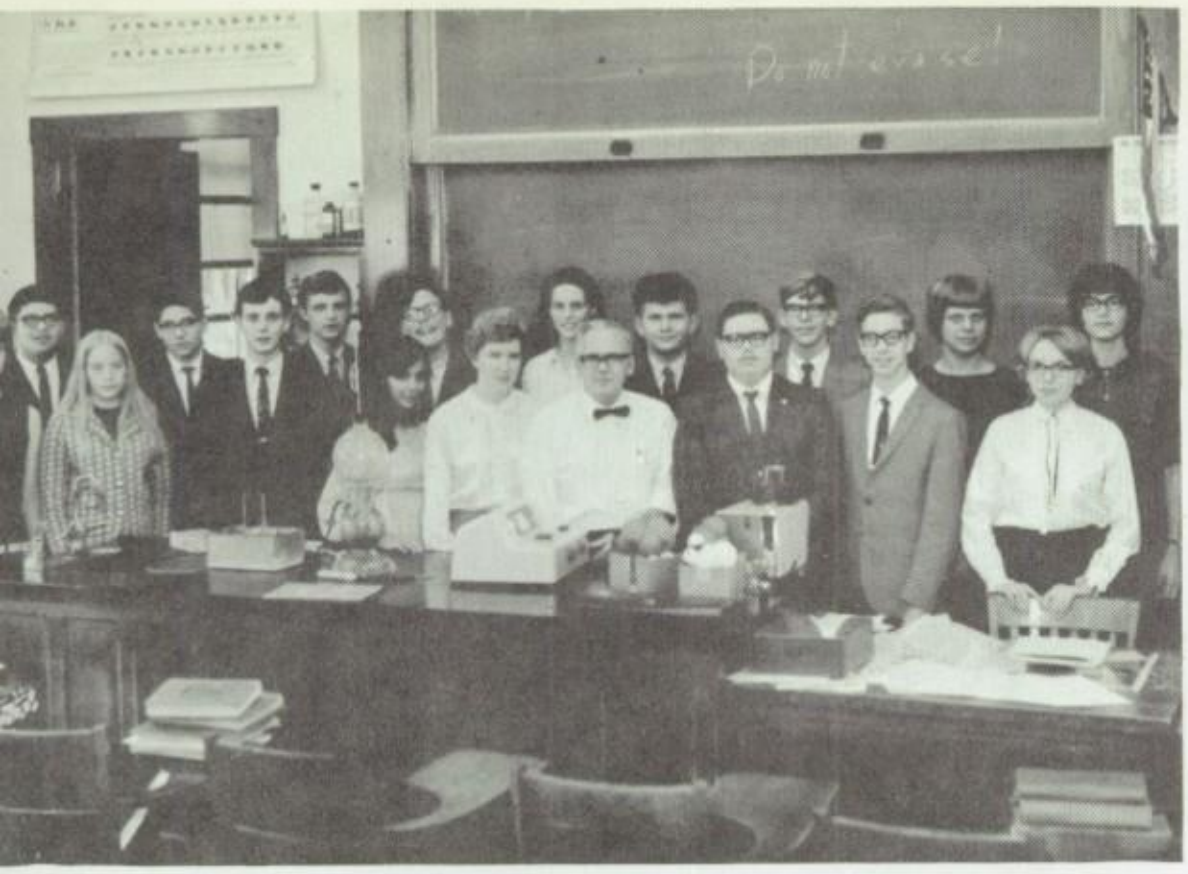
Security Council

Sponsor—Mr. William C. Horine

Although the Security Council was originally established to be put into operation in case of an air-raid, its personnel and facilities were also available for emergency use.

This organization consisted of twelve units, namely, check-up, messenger, attendance, fire, two police squads, two service squads, and four first-aid squads.

Special equipment included a geiger counter, portable air-raid sirens, medical and sanitation kits, crackers, and sealed bags of water in water barrels.



Future Scientists of America

Sponsor—Mr. Lewis F. Marderness

Activities of the club included field trips to the Carpenter Steel Laboratory at Bern and Union Streets on October 15, 1968, and to the Dental Pharmacy Building of Temple University located in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on March 13, 1969.

Throughout the year, members of the club performed experiments to their interests.

Row 1—Peggy Davis, Marjory Zissa, Frederick Kistler, treasurer; Maria Alexander, Kathleen Grant, Mr. Lewis F. Marderness, sponsor; Charles Broad, Michael Marburger, Louise Vogel; *Row 2* — Stratton Capiotis, Dennis Simon, vice president; Brian Pfleger, Sherwood Willig, Susan Stahl, George Kurjanowicz, Ernest Bell, Janet Wetzel, Ellen Briskin

Future Physicians of America

Sponsor—Mr. Clinton D. Getz

During the year the club endeavored to provide stimulating programs to acquaint members with the various facets of the medical profession.

Honored guests included Dr. Walter E. English, a pathologist, and Dr. Sergio V. Proserpi, a plastic surgeon, both from the Reading Hospital. Among the lecturers featured were Dr. E. James Morrissey, Jr., an orthopedic surgeon at the Reading Hospital, and Dr. Robert R. Impink, a chief surgeon at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Members of the organization utilized the school skeleton as a topic of discussion.

Maria Millones, Kimberly Fritz, Richard Beard, co-chairman; Sally Matthews, co-chairman; Judith Ludwig, Mr. Clinton D. Getz, sponsor

Future Nurses of America

Sponsor—Mrs. Ruth L. Heist

In this organization, the girls learned about the rewards, opportunities, and responsibilities of various nursing careers.

Fund-raising projects included the sale of class identification pins and "Red Knight" pencils to help finance a trip to a pharmaceutical plant.

At one of the monthly meetings, Miss Barbara Snyder, R.N., and Mrs. Barbara Yeager, R.N., explained the requirements for entering a nursing career at the Reading Hospital.

Seated—Maria Angelisanti, treasurer; Sandra Heiser, vice president; Kathleen Becker, secretary; Robin Lorah, president; *Standing*—Mrs. Ruth L. Heist, R.N., sponsor; Miss Barbara Snyder, R.N.; Mrs. Barbara Yeager, R.N.

Left to right — Lynda Mentzer, Maria Dialectos, Sherry Wenrich, Sandra Shenk, co-captain; Susan Lattanzio, Jolyn Fialk, Kathy Brommer

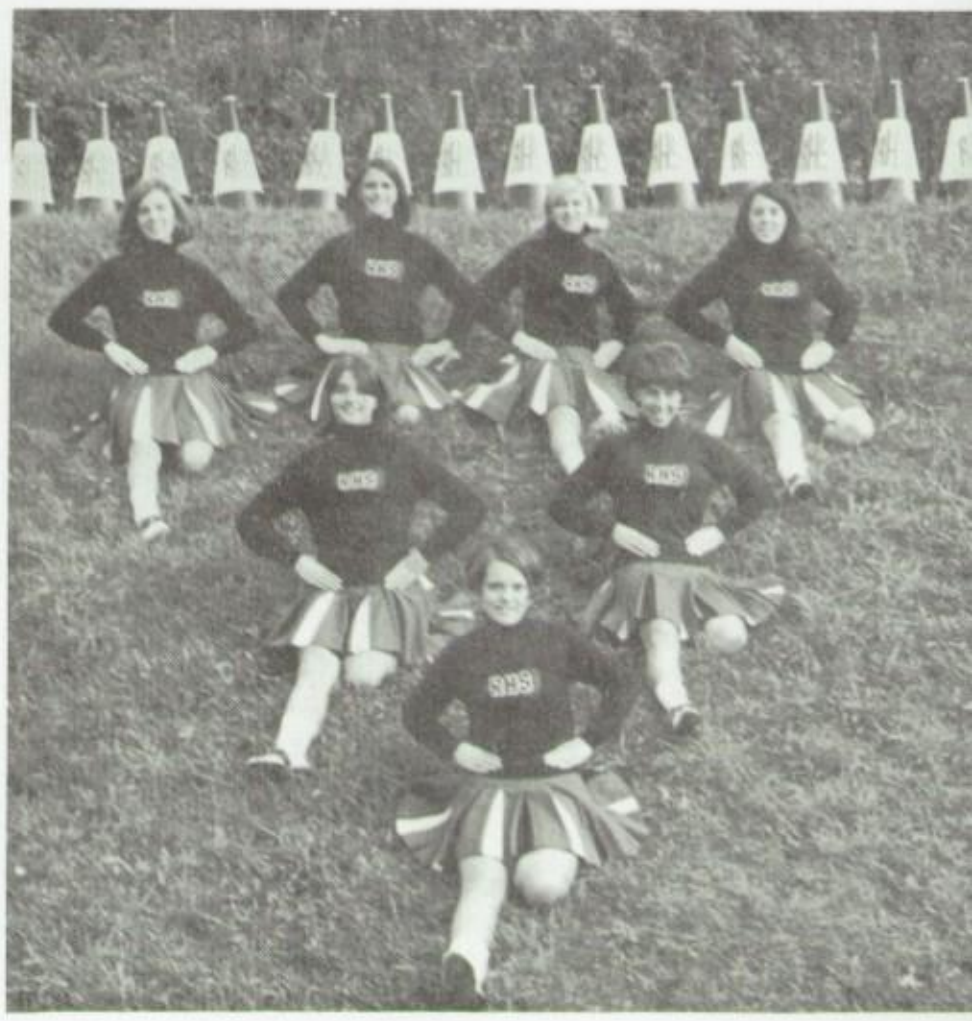
Cheerleaders

Sponsor—Miss Barbara J. Graeff

At Reading High School's football and basketball games and pep assemblies, fan enthusiasm was sparked by a group of vivacious girls known as the Castle's cheerleaders.

New articles purchased for this group were long-sleeved sweaters with megaphone emblems, red wool skirts with alternating black and white pleats, and black and white megaphones with red lettering.

As a special project to boost school spirit this year, the junior and sophomore cheerleaders constructed a papier-mache football which later was hurled into the fire at the Bonfire Blast on Wednesday, November 27, 1968, to signify the burning of the rival team.



Row 1—Sharon Gertney, co-captain; *Row 2*—Susan Mease, Judith Ludwig; *Row 3*—Diane Kase, Diane Fretz, Elaine Schein, Susan Geigle; *Absent*—Donna Goodwill

Three cheerleaders and their sponsor proudly display the papier-mache football which was used at the annual bonfire ceremonies.

Susan Geigle, Donna Goodwill, Miss Barbara J. Graeff, sponsor; Lynda Mentzer

Marching Band

Unit Leaders

Mr. Hiram D. Hoch
Director

Scott Evans
Featured Twirler

Michael Katzaman
Drum Major

Miss J. Joan Angstadt
Band Front Supervisor

Hedy Rios
Guide-On Captain

Teresa Mish
Head Majorette

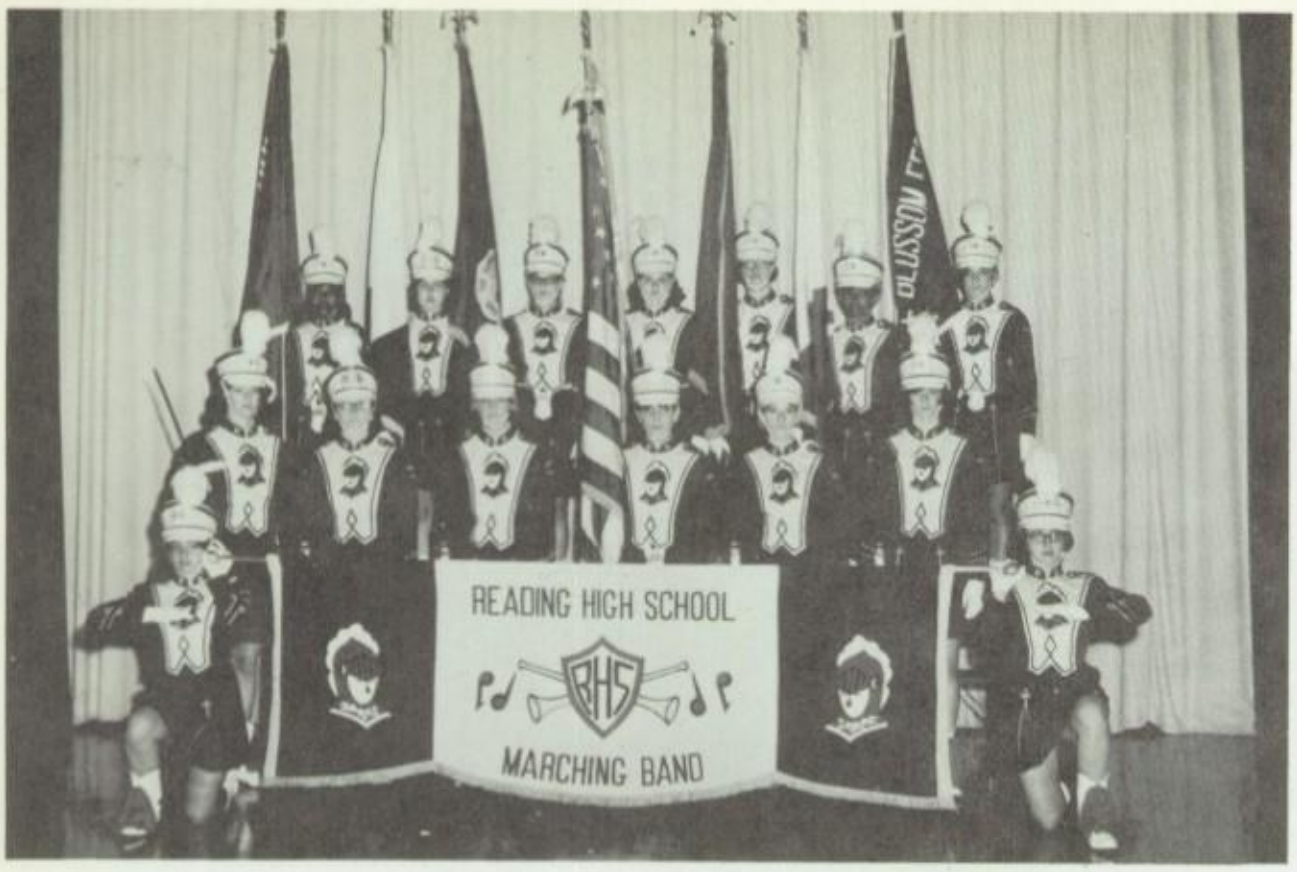
Dolores Zellers
Majorette Captain

John Brubaker
President

Sue Reifsnyder
Color Guard Captain

Sheralyn Shriver
Rifle Squad Captain

Larry Henry
Announcer



Marching Band

Auxiliary Units

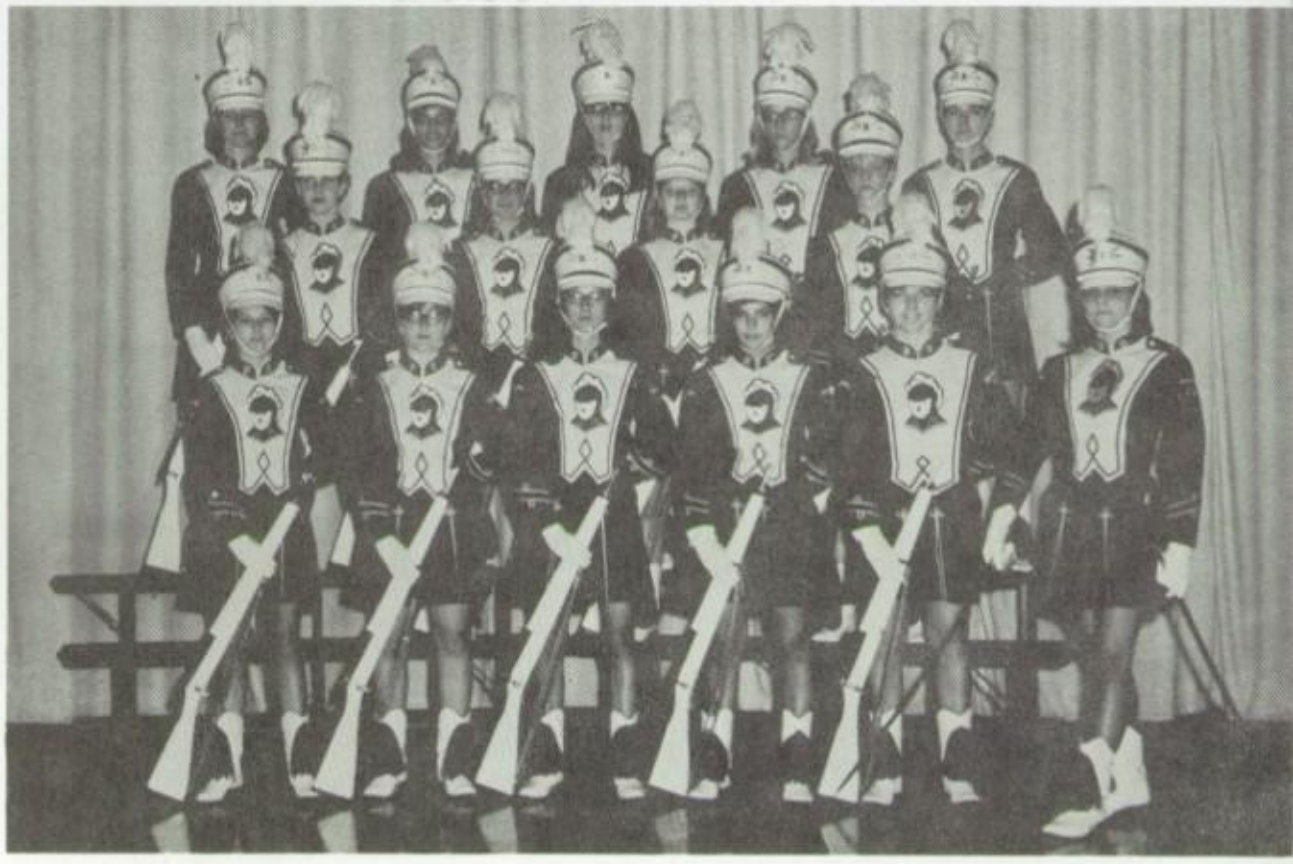
Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch
Band Front Supervisor—
Miss J. Joan Angstadt

New equipment acquired this year included new rifles, a Reading High School flag, and the Apple Blossom Championship flag which was won in competition at Winchester, Virginia, last year.

In addition, colorful sequin uniforms were purchased for the Majorettes and red berets for the Guide-Ons.

Color Guard

Row 1—Stephanie Billys, Gail Hummel; *Row 2*—Sue Reifsnyder, Patricia McClatchie, Deborah Phile, Grace Long, Virginia Reifsnyder, Nannette Pauley; *Row 3* — JoAnn White, Michele Gongalez, Karen McClatchie, Debra Einsel, Anne Newpher, Antoinette Covington, Barbara Bogdan



Rifle Squad

Row 1 — Sandra Nowakowski, Jean Keim, Susan Nye, Sheila Hirneisen, Rebecca Etzel, Sheralyn Schriver, captain; *Row 2* — Cynthia Ruffner, Eileen Giles, Diane Green, Gale Huie; *Row 3*—Donna Nowotarski, Brenda Luckanitz, Carol Philips, Gail Schlappich, Jennifer Buck

Color Guard and Rifle Squad Reserves

Row 1—Susan Master, Barbara Gajewski, Ruth Lazur; *Row 2* — Sally Urban, Susan Maurer, Myrtle Dokes, Bonnie Klinger; *Absent* — Theresa Walker

Marching Band

Auxiliary Units

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch
Band Front Supervisor—
Miss J. Joan Angstadt

Majorettes

Row 1—Dolores Zellers, majorette captain; Teresa Mish, head majorette; *Row 2*—Lois Furman, Patricia Nowak, Pamela Taylor, Debra Fox; *Row 3*—Karen Bertolet, Michelle Deangelis, Cathy Katzaman; *Row 4*—Denise Gallas, Margaret Falinski, Margie Javorski, Michelle Dadamio; *Row 5*—Mae Seidel, Deborah Gray, Deborah Thompson, Karen Traczuk

Guide-Ons

Row 1—Hedy Rios, captain; *Row 2*—Vicki Rohrbach, Kim Schwartz, JoAnne Bernhart, Beth DeLong, Linda Rowley, Rita Harkness; *Row 3*—Shirley Rohrbach, Jennifer Burford, Bonnie Sterling, Linda Maurer; *Row 4*—Carolyn Barbera, Bonnie Eisenbise, Linda Thomas

Guide-Ons

Row 1—Brenda Spies, Veronica Grego, Valerie Marburger, Dixie Troutman; *Row 2*—Cynthia Karnat, Kathy Quinn, Linda Davidson, Karen Ciesla, Catharine Davis; *Row 3*—Carol Anderson, Donna Breedy, Betty Witman; *Absent*—Joanne Heil

Marching Band

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch
Band Front Supervisor—

Miss J. Joan Angstadt

This year marked the highest enrollment in the Marching Band and Auxiliary Units. In the former group, there were ninety-two playing members, and in the latter which included the Color Guard, Rifle Squad, Majorettes and the Guide-Ons, there were eighty-three participants.

Locally, the group performed at pep rallies, football games and in the Christmas, Veterans' Day and Memorial Day Parades. In county competition, the band took part in the King Frost Parade at Hamburg, Pennsylvania.

Brass

Row 1—Laurie Moyer, Lori Brown, David Kinkaid, Michael Shannon, Richard Smith, Charles Randazzo; *Row 2*—Steven Ocksrider, Michael Wummer, James Gehring, Thomas Krafczyk, Sandra Sparks, Thomas Shugar, Barry Heckman; *Absent*—Raymond Snyder

Brass

Row 1—David Forrer, Kerry Bortz, Cay Laskey, Douglass Lotz, James Carr, John Newpher; *Row 2*—Richard Wentzel, David Keeler, Richard Strunk, Curtis Rissmiller, Randolph Szpak, David Rutt, George Legler; *Absent*—Jeffrey Smith

Woodwind

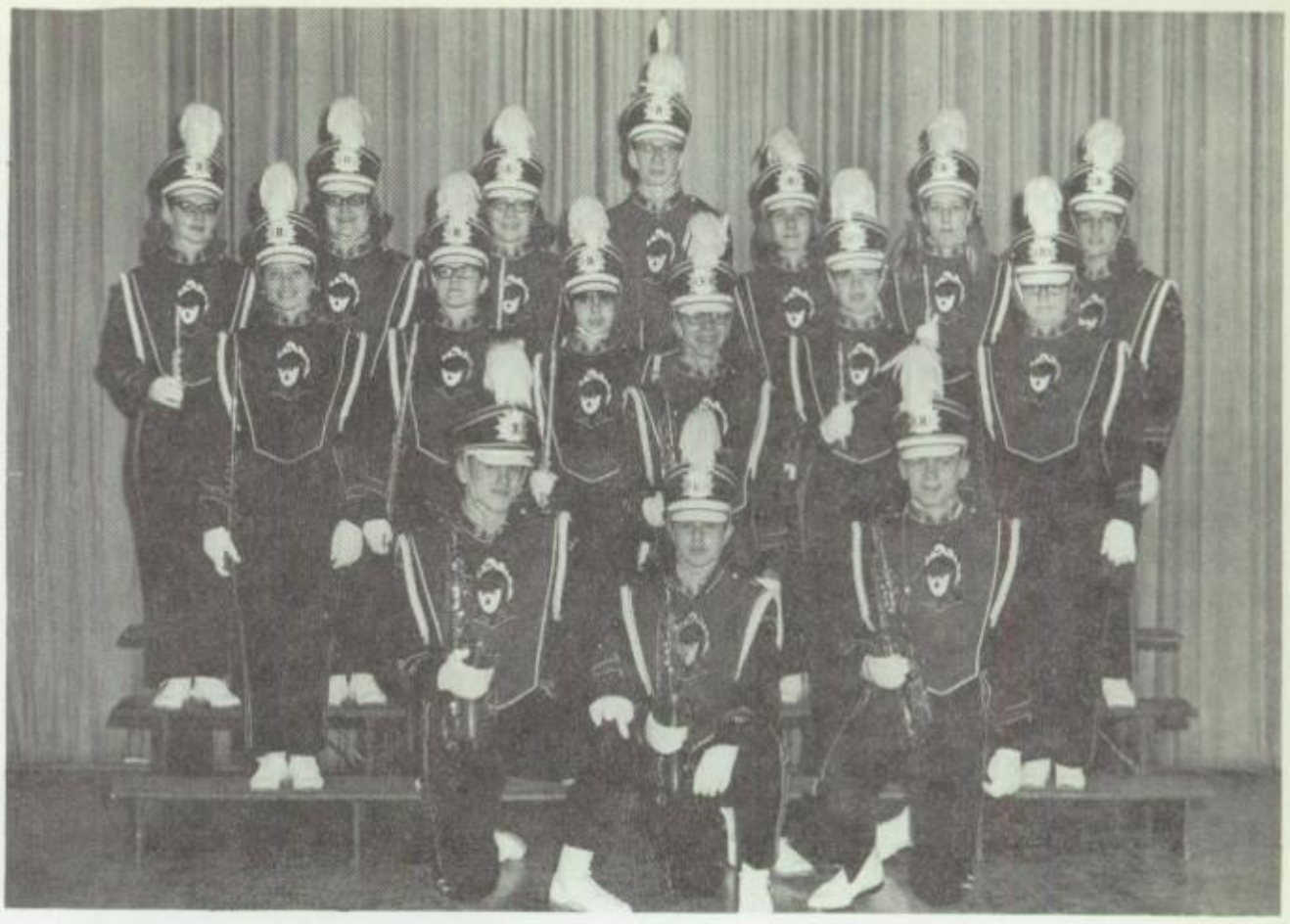
Row 1—Sandra Price, Gail Eberly, Dianne Rathman, Jan Fisher, Virginia Izzo, Fay Lienti, Joanne Souders; *Row 2*—Roy Sensenig, Eric Kornfeld, Charles Hepler, Timothy Fisher, Richard Miller; *Row 3*—James Stallone, Bruce Dengler, Gary Cucinotta, Kerry Moore, Patrick Ciervo, David Miller

Marching Band

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch
Band Front Supervisor—
Miss J. Joan Angstadt

For the second consecutive year, the Reading High Marching Band and Auxiliary Units participated in the Apple Blossom Parade at Winchester, Virginia. Competition for this event took place on Thursday, May 1, 1969 and Friday, May 2, 1969. In this parade last year, the Reading High delegation won first place in a total field of one-hundred and three marching groups from the eastern coast.

Prior to the last two years, the Castle groups competed on a national scale in the American Automobile Association Parade at Washington, D.C.



Woodwind

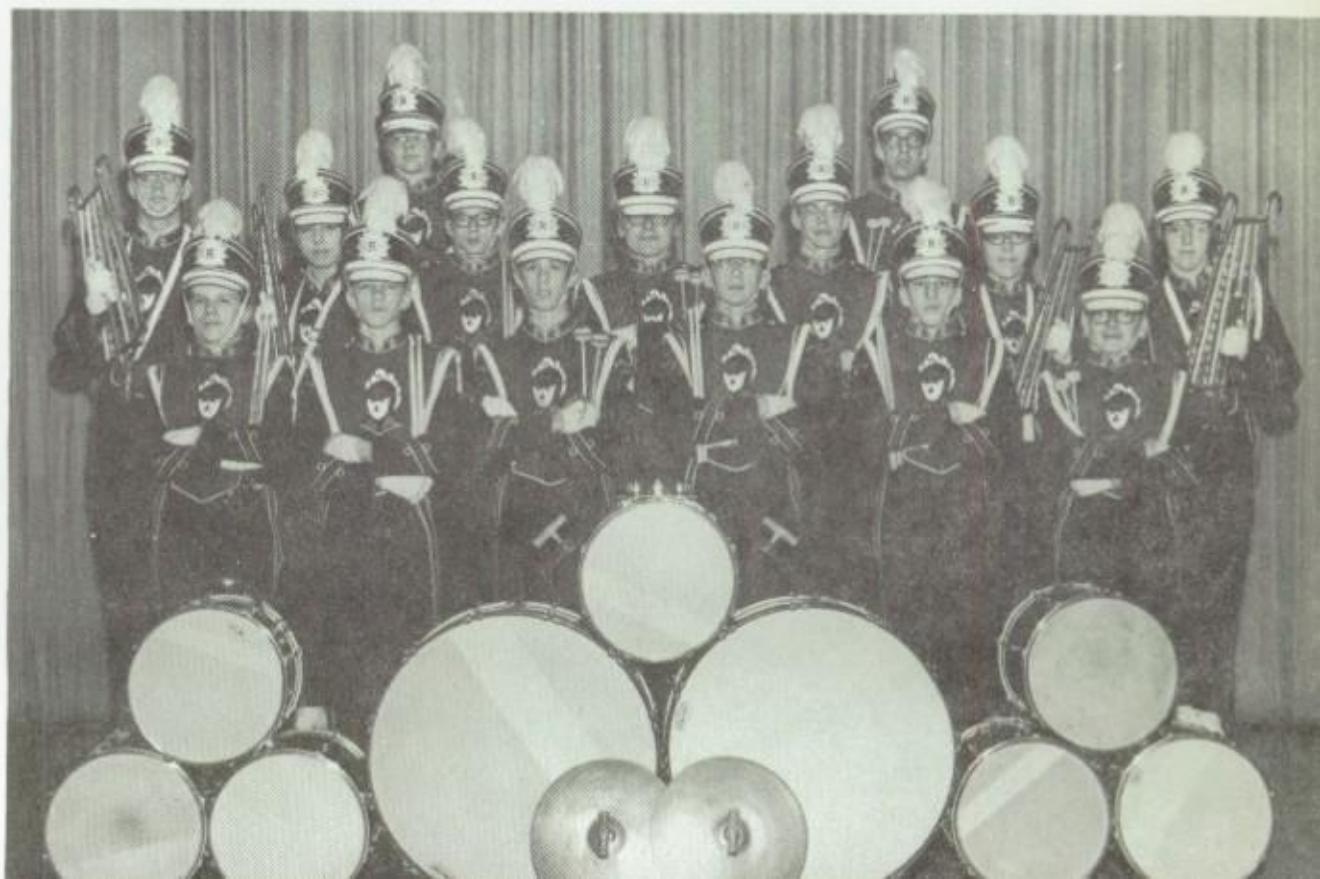
Row 1—Charles Pawling, Timothy Michael, Richard Reiber; *Row 2*—Karen Smith, Jeanne Bortz, Linda Adams, Tilden Forrer, Eileen Monshower, Joyce Allen; *Row 3*—Donna Treat, Barbara Huyett, Dottie Ellen Keefer, Robert Spatz, Janice Smith, Nancy Hartman, Cynthia Brok

Brass

Row 1 — Margaret Stoner, Nicholene Izzo, Karen Quill, Elsie Kendig; *Row 2*—Richard Tomrell, John Brubaker, Mark Kendig, Warren Vogel, Thomas Heiser; *Row 3*—Jeffrey Michael, Nelson Kase, Harold Dupler; *Absent*—Kim Feinauer

Percussion

Row 1 — Kenneth John, Keith Quinn, Roger Maycock, Russell Lis, David Reynolds, Donald Clouser; *Row 2*—Alan Simmons, Suanne Heffelfinger, Steven Chelius, Earl Kegerize, Harold Bechtel, Denise Hassler, Sharon Mundell; *Row 3*—Robert MacDermid, Jeffrey Shade



A Cappella

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Special school performances given by the A Cappella Choir included enjoyable choral programs for a Christmas assembly at the Castle on Tuesday, December 17, 1968, appropriate music for the Second Community Carol Service held at Reading High School on Wednesday, December 18, 1968, and for an assembly at the Southern Junior High School on Friday, February 7, 1969.

In addition, the group also took part in a program for the Reading Chapter of the American Guild of Organists at Christ Episcopal Church, and for a ceremony of religious music at the First Evangelical Congregational Church.

At the end of the school year, the choir participated in the school's baccalaureate services on Sunday, June 1, 1969, and for the commencement exercises on Thursday, June 5, 1969.

Row 1—Joan Spencer, Janice Seidel, Sharon Hill; *Row 2*—Carol Becker, Lloyd Reitnauer, Leverne Smith, William Seltzer, Ruth Dautrich; *Absent*—Jeffrey Markov

Row 1—Anna Fischer, Connie Cox, Eileen Hill; *Row 2*—Marcy Dautrich, Martin Wahl, Robert Himmelberger, Glenn Bangs, Lorrie Meleon

Row 1—Florence Sands, Donna Riegel, Marcia Seiple; *Row 2*—Joanne Snyder, Carl Hermanns, Stevan Karacz, Gary Melton, Sandra Stout

A Cappella

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Four vocalists of the A Cappella Choir sang for a children's Christmas party which was held on Sunday, December 15, 1968, at the Children's Home located at Centre Avenue and Spring Street.

Special choral programs for the community were presented for the Rotary Club's Christmas meeting on Thursday, December 19, 1968, for a Christmas party for YMCA employees on Friday, December 20, 1968. and for the Evening of Music held at the Reading High School auditorium on Wednesday, May 14, 1969.

Row 1—Rebecca Barner, Lawrence Varone, Emilie Fioravanti; *Row 2*—Suzanne Calvaresi, Patricia Sallade, Vincent Strahan, Debra Fisher, Mary Patterson; *Absent*—April Kauffman

Row 1—Patricia Fitzgerald, Susan Nye, Donna Lebo; *Row 2*—Deborah Cauff, Steven Slegel, Peter Frank, David Miller, Patricia DeAngelo

Row 1 — Rebecca Weitzel, Bonnie Hoehn, Jean Dunkleberger; *Row 2*— Diane Fretz, Christine Nyman, Terry Fies, Kim Schwambach, Debra Einsel

Girls' Chorus

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Girls' Chorus was the only two period per week choral course offered this year. Membership in the organization enabled the vocalists to learn the fundamental techniques and skills of singing two and three part harmony.

During the year this ensemble gave two performances. On December 17, 1968, a combined group made up of the Girls' Chorus and the Girls' Glee Club took part in a choral program for the Christmas assembly. Later, these vocalists participated as a separate group in the Thirty-Seventh Annual Evening of Music program held in the Reading High School auditorium on Wednesday, May 14, 1969.

Row 1—Glynn Polter, Debra Norris, Marjorie Fisher, Brenda Spies, Dorothy Swavely; *Row 2*—Sandra Freese, Kathleen Cassidy, Patti Hunsberger; *Absent*—Sharon Mundell

Row 1—Linda Mish, Justine Evans, Suzanne Yocum, Susan Taylor, Janice Ohlinger; *Row 2*—Sandra Slater, Judith Lesher, Patricia DeAngelo

Row 1—Sheridan Wise, Marcia Hare, Dennise Hassler, Brenda Kindt, Cynthia Huber; *Row 2*—Candice Shittler, Dawn Peters, Judith Wolf; *Absent*—Patricia Caretti

Girls' Chorus

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Row 1—Carolyn Zaffiro, Lora Stefanowicz, Georgene Endy; *Row 2*—Deborah Ripple, Iris Kouvaros, Bonnie Hoehn, Machelle Miller; *Absent*—Linda Maurer

Mixed Chorus

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

In this five period per week elective, members of the Mixed Chorus learned to master the techniques of vocal blending in singing two and three part harmony.

This group gave its first performance of the year for the Parent-Teachers' Association of the Fifth and Spring School on November 25, 1968. Other presentations included the Christmas assembly on December 17, 1968, and at the Thirty-Seventh Annual Evening of Music held in the Reading High School Auditorium on May 14, 1969.

Row 1—Julie Mengel, Elizabeth Zoltan, Ann Trafford, Anna Delinko, Gloria Dutt, Sandra Weaver; *Row 2*—Patricia Kerchner, Richard Slemmer, Darryl Roeder, David Stevenson, Deborah Racine; *Absent*—Sharon Mundell

Row 1—Brenda Kindt, Susan Orrs, Doreen Daniels, Linda Boyer; *Row 2*—Debra Zimmerman, Dawn Steckline, Gary Melton, Samuel Pierce, Deborah Hassler, Maria Manuel; *Absent*—Mary Spencer

Girls' Glee Club

Director—Mr. Charles W. Lutz

Vocalists who took this five period per week elective were given the opportunities to develop skills and techniques in phrasing, intonation, and choral blending in singing two and three part harmony.

For the Yuletide season, members of the Girls Glee Club blended their voices with those of the Girls' Chorus in singing appropriate selections for the Christmas assembly on December 17, 1968. In the spring, this group performed as a separate unit in the annual Evening of Music held in the auditorium of Reading High School on Wednesday, May 14, 1969.

Row 1 — Regalada Soto, Gwen Knight, Ruth Weaver, Sharon Zanino; *Row 2*—Donna Patton, Linda Sorrano, Rosa Lee Sheriff, Jacqueline Taylor, Linda Brooks, Susan Snyder; *Absent* — Karen Van Horn

Row 1—Rita Kepley, Jerie Hemmig, Rosemarie Ziats, Jo Anne Buck, Marilyn Malek; *Row 2*—Linda Davidson, Colette Johnson, Shirley Brockington, Debra Burckhart, Linda Watt, Kim Rentschler

Row 1—Sandra Weaver, Deanne Metz, Marianne Lentz, Carmen Gonzalez; *Row 2*—Elizabeth Zoltan, Rosemary Trump, Virginia Bishop, Athens Skarlatos, Betty Oplinger, Janice Kreisher; *Absent*—Valerie Keller

Castleaires

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

At the Castle, the group performed at the Robert S. Birch Speaking Contest on February 27, 1969; for a R.H.S. Bank-Aides program, the annual Castleaires assembly on April 22, 1969; and for the Evening of Music held on May 14, 1969 in the Reading High School auditorium.

During the year, the Castleaires participated in three contests, namely, the Chesapeake Stage Band Festival at Edgewood, Maryland on March 7, 1969, where they received a second place trophy; the Jazz Festival held at the William Penn High School in York, Pennsylvania, where they placed fourth; and the Mason-Dixon Festival at Pylesville, Maryland on April 25, 1969.

Presenting Reading High School's award-winning dance band . . . The 1969 Castleaires.

At vibraharp — Margaret Stoner, Richard Tomrell, Alan Simmons, Harold Dupler; *Row 1*—Patrick Ciervo, Jan Fisher, Richard Reiber, Tilden Forrer, Michael Katzaman; *Row 2*—Mark Kending, John Brubaker, William Heiser; *Row 3*—Steven Ocksrider, Charles Randazzo, David Rutt, Thomas Krafczyk, Curtis Rissmiller, Laurie Moyer; *At drums*—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, director; Roger Maycock, Russell Lis, *Absent*—David Kinkaid

Officers of the dance band formally presented the Castleaires trophies to Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, director.

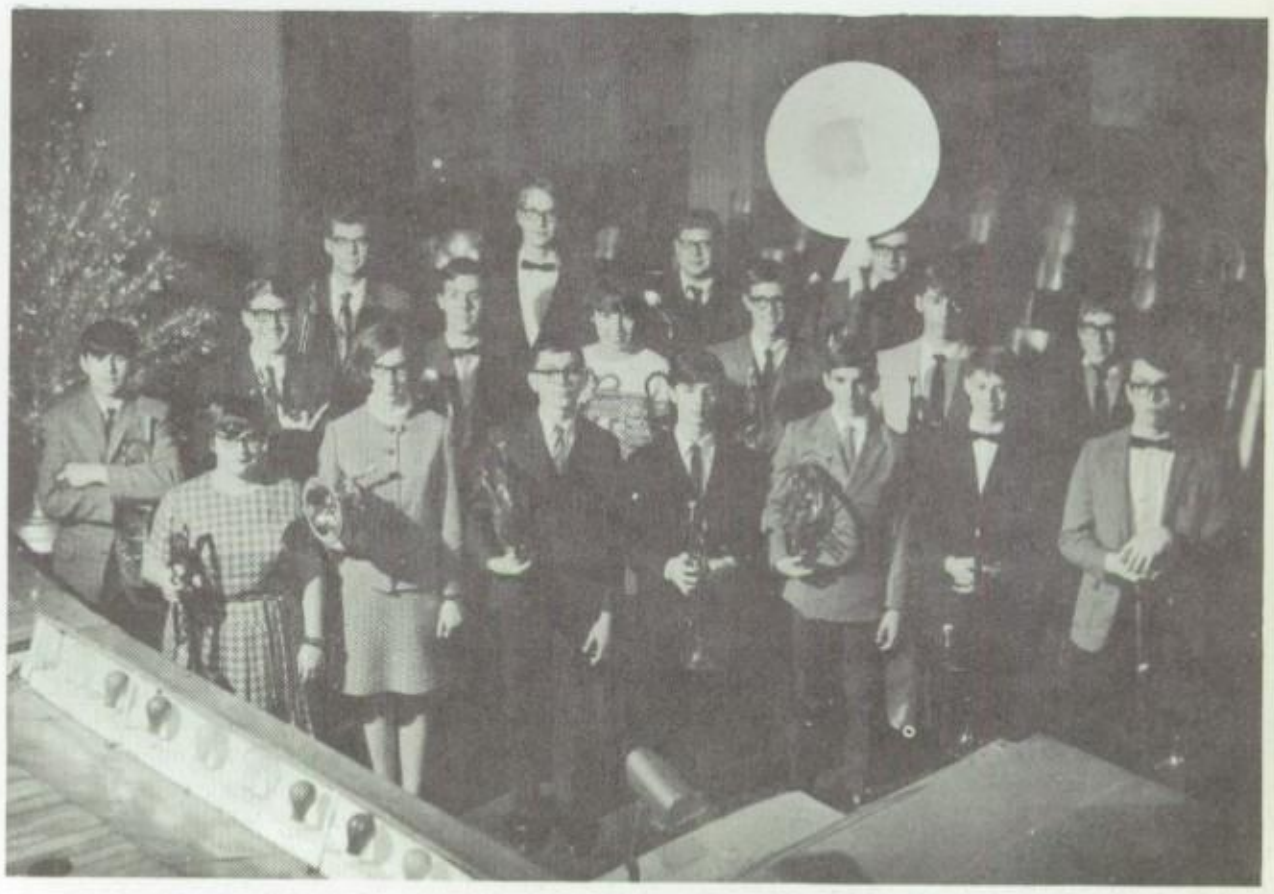
Mr. Hiram D. Hoch, director; Margaret Stoner, treasurer; John Brubaker, president, holding the second place Chesapeake Stage Band trophy; Allan Simmons, vice-president, holding the fourth place Jazz Festival trophy; Michael Katzaman, manager

Brass Choir

Sponsor—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

On Wednesday, December 18, 1968, the group performed for various elementary schools.

Other presentations were given on the same day at the Reading School District Administration Building, City Hall, Reading Eagle Company, Special Education Center, and the Reading Supply Building.



Delightful music played by the Brass Choir added a unique touch to the Yuletide occasions.

Row 1—Laurie Moyer, Margaret Stoner, Kim Feinauer, David Kinkaid, Michael Shannon, William Heiser, John Brubaker; *Row 2*—Charles Randazzo, Steven Ocksrider, Richard Tomrell, Susanne Heffelfinger, David Rutt, Thomas Krafczyk, Warren Vogel; *Row 3*—Alan Simmons, Mark Kendig, Curtis Rissmiller, Nelson Kase

Concert Orchestra

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

During the school year, this instrumental group provided supporting musical roles in numerous assemblies and presented its own concert in a special Castle assembly on Tuesday, March 4, 1969.

Other presentations were given at the annual Evening of Music on Wednesday, May 14, 1969, and for a concert at Southern Junior High School on Friday, May 16, 1969.

Climaxing the eventful year were the orchestra's performances for the Standard Evening High School Commencement Exercises on Tuesday, June 3, 1969, and the Senior High School Commencement Exercises on Thursday, June 5, 1969.

String

Row 1—Ellen Gifford, Marlene Bendrick, Priscilla Beears, JoAnne Bernhart; *Row 2*—Mary Ann Rowlands, Deborah Einsel, Sue Reifsnyder, Jacquelyn Bensing, Anne Newpher; *Absent*—Bonnie Klinger, William Papoutsis

String

Row 1—Harold Dupler, Deborah Rahn, Ilze Kampe, Anthony Cipolla; *Row 2*—Lynn Hemming, Elaine Ingram, Sharon Englehart, Carol Philips, Betty Witman, Mary Lee Sensenig; *Absent*—Steven Gallas

Brass

Row 1—Charles Randazzo, Steven Ocksrider, Thomas Krafczyk, David Rutt, George Legler, Laurie Moyer; *Row 2*—William Heiser, John Brubaker, Mark Kendig, Kenneth Hartman, Dennis Schwartz, Theodore Jarsocrak

Concert Orchestra

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

Six members of the orchestra participated in the Eastern District Orchestra Festival at Catasauqua High School on February 6, 7, 8, 1969. Castle instrumentalists who took part in this musical event included seniors Priscilla Beears, on violin, and Donna Treat, on flute. Eleventh grade participants were Jo Anne Bernhart, violinist; Ilze Kampe, celloist; Deborah Rahn, celloist, and Ellen Briskin on French horn.

Musicians who were named for the Regional Orchestra Festival were scheduled to perform at the Conestoga Valley High School on March 20, 21, 22, 1969.

Woodwind

Row 1—Joyce Allen, Michele Fitzgerald, Fay Lienti; *Row 2*—Karen Smith, Cynthia Brok, Warren Esterly, Dottie Ellen Keefer, Donna Treat; *Absent*—Phyllis Rozanski

Brass and Woodwind

Row 1—Kim Feinauer, Margaret Stoner, Michael Shannon, Ellen Briskin; *Row 2*—Patrick Ciervo, Timothy Fisher, Michael Katzaman; *Absent*—Timothy Price

Percussion and Piano

Row 1—Shirley Rohrbach, Suanne Hefflefinger, Gary Good, Sandra Sparks, Gail Eichler; *Row 2*—Steven Chelius, Russell Lis, Louis Dalaveris, Spyro Sbilis, Robert MacDermid, Richard Tomrell

Concert Band

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

Participation in this instrumental organization enabled the student musicians to gain wide experience in large ensemble playing, and at the same time, it gave the instrumentalists opportunities to explore a great amount of band literature.

For the most part, the group featured incidental music for various assembly programs throughout the year. On March 18, 1969, however, the band played a special concert for a school assembly. In addition, the band took part in the Thirty-Seventh Annual Evening of Music on Wednesday, May 14, 1969.

Brass

Row 1—Thomas Scalzi, David Kinkaid, Charles Randazzo, James Gehring; *Row 2*—Thomas Shugar, David Rutt, Lori Brown, Steven Ocksrider, Thomas Krafczyk; *Absent*—Laurie Moyer

Brass

Row 1—Margaret Stoner, Spyridon Patton, Michael Shannon, Ellen Briskin; *Row 2*—Lawrence Rudolph, Michael Wummer, Randolph Szpak, Rick Smith; *Absent*—Kim Feinauer

Brass

Row 1—Curtis Rissmiller, John Brubaker, William Heiser, Richard Tomrell; *Row 2*—Richard Miller, Mark Kendig, William Papoutsis, Barry Heckman, George Legler; *Absent*—Harold Dupler

Concert Band

Director—Hiram D. Hoch

Musicians who represented Reading High School in the Eastern District Pennsylvania Music Educators' Association Band Festival which was held at Daniel Boone High School, Birdsboro, Pennsylvania, on January 23, 24, and 25, 1969, and also in the Regional State Band Festival held at Tulpehocken High School, Bernville, Pennsylvania, on March 6, 7, and 8, 1969, were two seniors namely, Donna Treat, flutist, and Michele Fitzgerald, clarinetist. Both girls were also members of the school's Concert Orchestra and Woodwind Trio.

Woodwind

Row 1—Marlene Bendrick, Fay Lienti, Sandra Price, Joanne Souders, Michele Fitzgerald; *Row 2*—Timothy Fisher, David Miller, Stratton Capiotis, Jan Fisher

Woodwind

Row 1—Dottie Ellen Keefer, Glynn Polter; *Row 2*—Donna Treat, Karen Smith, Cynthia Brok, Jeanne Bortz; *Row 3*—Robert Spatz, Michael Katzaman, Timothy Price, Patrick Ciervo, Richard Reiber

Percussion

Row 1—Shirley Rohrbach, Gary Good, Suanne Heffelfinger; *Row 2*—Jeffrey Shade, Keith Quinn, Steven Chelius, Russell Lis, Roger Maycock

Instrumental Ensembles

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

Musicians who wanted to improve their playing techniques and skills for performing in large instrumental ensembles were urged to schedule this elective.

Since the students practiced in small groups, the instructor was able to give individual attention to those musicians who required it.

Of the ensembles, only the Woodwind Trio was a performing unit. On November 24, 1968, the group played for the guests at the Caum Home, and on January 20, 1969, for a meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at the Fifth and Spring Elementary School.

Instrumental Ensemble I

Row 1—Glynn Polter, flute; Stephanie Billys, piano; JoAnne Bernhart, violin; Rick Smith, trumpet; Shirley Rohrbach, piano; *Row 2* — Ellen Briskin, French horn; Margaret Stoner, French horn; Deborah Einsel, violin; Dottie Ellen Keefer, flute; Suanne Heffelfinger, piano; Marlene Bendrick, violin; *Row 3*—Gary Good, percussion; Larry Henry, percussion; William Papoutsis, violin; Patrick Ciervo, tenor saxophone; Steven Ocksrider, trumpet

Instrumental Ensemble II

Row 1—Laurie Moyer, trumpet; Donna Treat, flute; Margaret Stoner, French horn; John Brubaker, trombone; Thomas Scalzi, trumpet; *Row 2*—Mark Kendig, trombone; Michael Katzaman, baritone saxophone; Timothy Price, tenor saxophone; Barry Heckman, baritone horn

Woodwind Trio

Director—Mr. Hiram D. Hoch

Michele Fitzgerald, clarinet; Donna Treat, flute; Dottie Ellen Keefer, flute

During the year, club members worked in the cloakroom at Northwest Junior High School at all eleven of the home basketball games.

Elizabeth Dewald, Stephanie Albright, Anna Fischer, Judy Koller, Helene Cohen, Meredith Paine

Serve Our School

Sponsor—Miss Anna V. Wheeler

Members of this energetic group volunteered to serve as usherettes for Parents Night, College Night, the National Honor Society assembly, the Senior Prom, and the Baccalaureate Services. Off-campus, the members worked in the cloakroom at Northwest Junior High School checking patrons' coats during home basketball games.

Through fund raising activities, the Serve Our School Club purchased the cherished Gold R's for the one percent of the students of the senior class who earned the highest number of school service points in non-athletic activities.

Fellowship Club

Sponsor—Mrs. Elizabeth W. Goodwin

Practicing the Golden Rule and promoting the spirit of fellowship in the school and community were the main objectives of this club.

During the year, this group sponsored a Bundle Drive, an Old Glasses Drive, a candy sale and a cake sale. In addition, the club erected special displays in the exhibit cases in the lobby of the school as part of the observance of Brotherhood Week which was held February 16-23, 1969.

Fellowship Club received special recognition this year when it was awarded a certificate of appreciation from the Save The Children Federation, a national organization with headquarters in Knoxville, Tennessee.

Ramona Turner, Fellowship Club's president, modeled an original African gelee in observance of Negro History Week which was held from February 9-15, 1969.

Ramona Turner

Bundles for the "Save the Children" Federation were prepared for shipment after the completion of the club's clothing drive during the week of November 18, 1968.

Mrs. Elizabeth W. Goodwin, sponsor; Sherry Gilyard, Clarece Carter, Ramona Turner, Sheryl Long, Joyce Glimp

Castle Court Jesters

Sponsor—Mr. Charles W. Anderton

Through the sponsorship of special activities, the Castle Court Jesters endeavored to promote school spirit at Reading High School.

Club projects highly successful since the club was chartered in 1963 included scavenger hunts, color days, and the annual M-D-R night which featured a full-length movie, dancing, and refreshments.

Popular with the student body this year were the booster badges which the club members sold to encourage student support of our athletic teams.

To introduce the new booster badge campaign, Grace Long presented Mr. Charles Anderton, sponsor, the first badge for the York football game.

Seated — Sandra Heiser; *Standing* — David Gundrum, Grace Long, Mr. Charles W. Anderton, sponsor

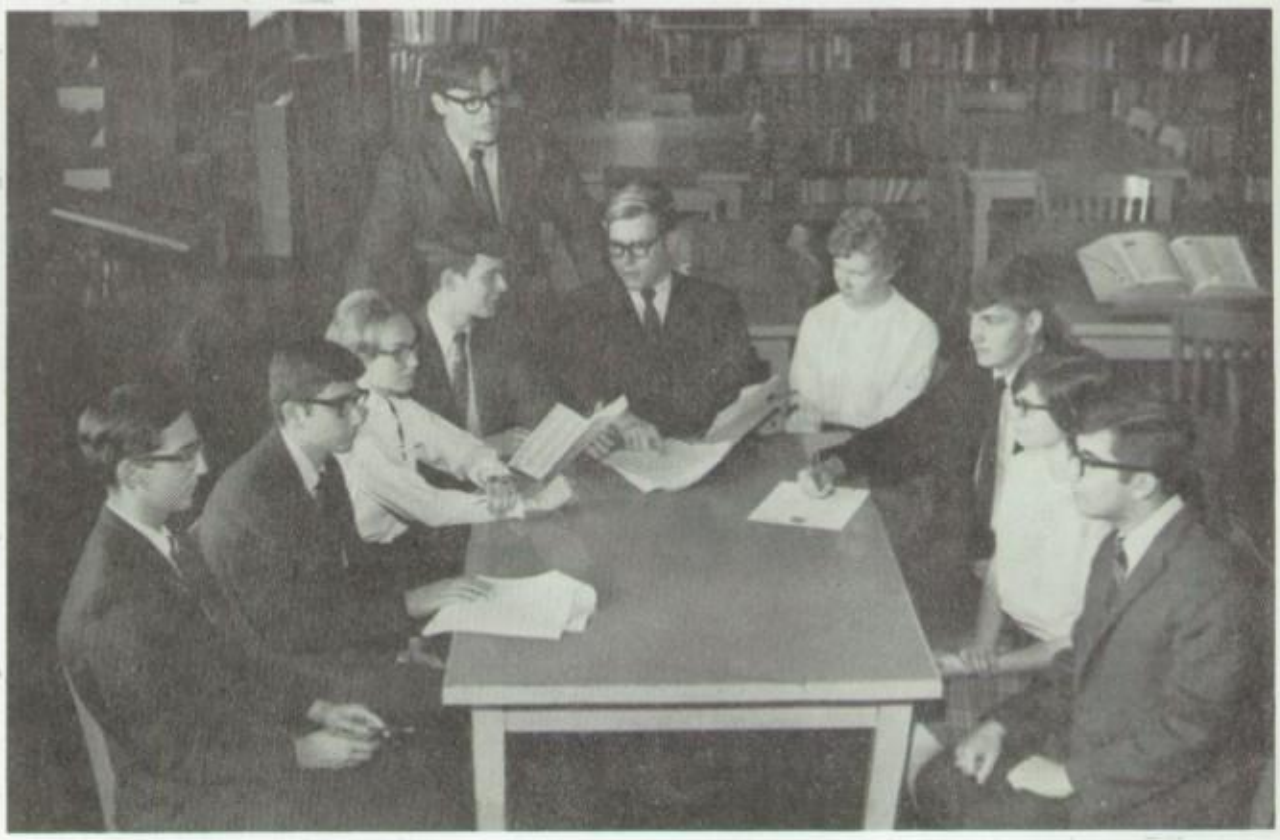
Debating Club

Sponsor—Mr. James A. Achenbach

Since its organization in 1967, Reading High School's Debating Club achieved a position of prominence. In the Berks County Debating League in the 1967-68 school year, the Castle group was the undefeated champion. As of January 1, 1969, the club earned an outstanding record of close to thirty victories in the league.

Mr. James Achenbach, sponsor, confers with his two top discussion groups as to procedures to be followed when visiting league schools.

Standing—Sherwood Willig; *Seated*—Spyridon Patton, Peter Nicholas, Louise Vogel; Frederick Kistler, Mr. James A. Achenbach, sponsor, Kathleen Grant, Robert Bierman, Phyllis Moser, James Nicholas



Chess Club

Sponsor—Mr. Matthew J. Spence

For the most part, members of the club were busily engaged throughout the year in intra-club matches.

In order to accommodate the various degrees of chess skills of club members, four leagues of competition were formed.

Highlighting the club's activities was a contest with Central Catholic High School in which Reading High School was the victor.

With the aid of a demonstration board, club member Sherwood Willig explains the reasons for his last move.

Stratton Caplotis, James Plank, Jeffrey Eschelman, Susan Stahl, Sherwood Willig, Dennis Simon

French Club

Sponsors—Mrs. Betty O. Hand
Miss Christine Mavreles

Highlighting the club's activities was the program presented on Reading High School's television show, Knight Life. Featured in the presentation was a satirical skit of the historical leaders of France which was produced by the French class, plus the singing of a variety of French favorites.

As a special social activity, members of the club enjoyed a banquet at Charlie's Valley Inn on February 20, 1969.

Russian Club

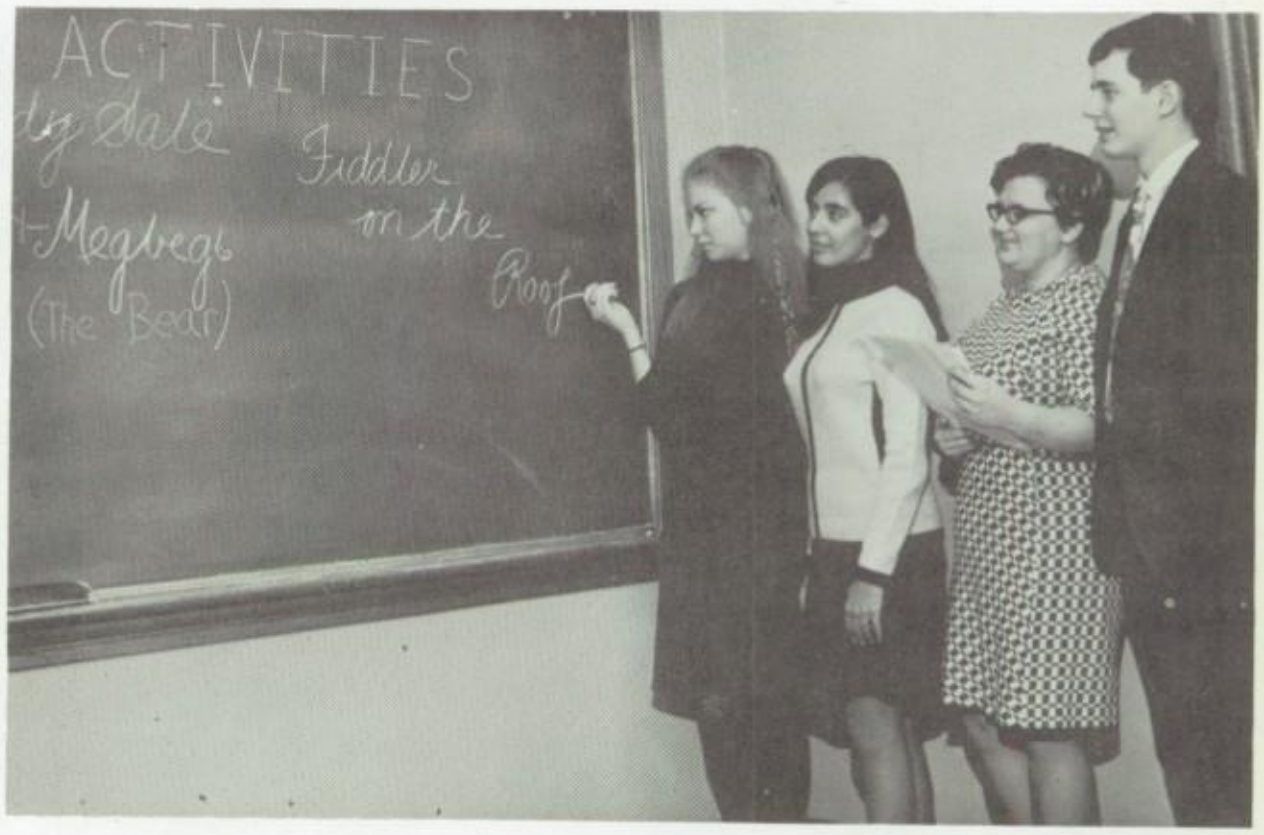
Sponsor—Miss Sara Sharadin

As a special project to raise money for the senior class, members of the club sold Russian pastry at the Senior Mardi Gras which was held on Saturday, November 9, 1968, in the school's gymnasium.

In addition, on February 20, 1969, the club presented a play entitled "The Bear" in the Reading High School music room.

At a special meeting, three officers and the sponsor discuss details about some of the activities to be promoted by the club throughout the year.

Patricia Kangas, secretary; Maria Alexander, president; Miss Sara Sharadin, sponsor; Frederick Kistler, treasurer; *Absent* — Wasyl Karacz, deceased vice president



German Club

Sponsors—Mr. Edward J. Becker
Mr. Otto W. Voit, Jr.

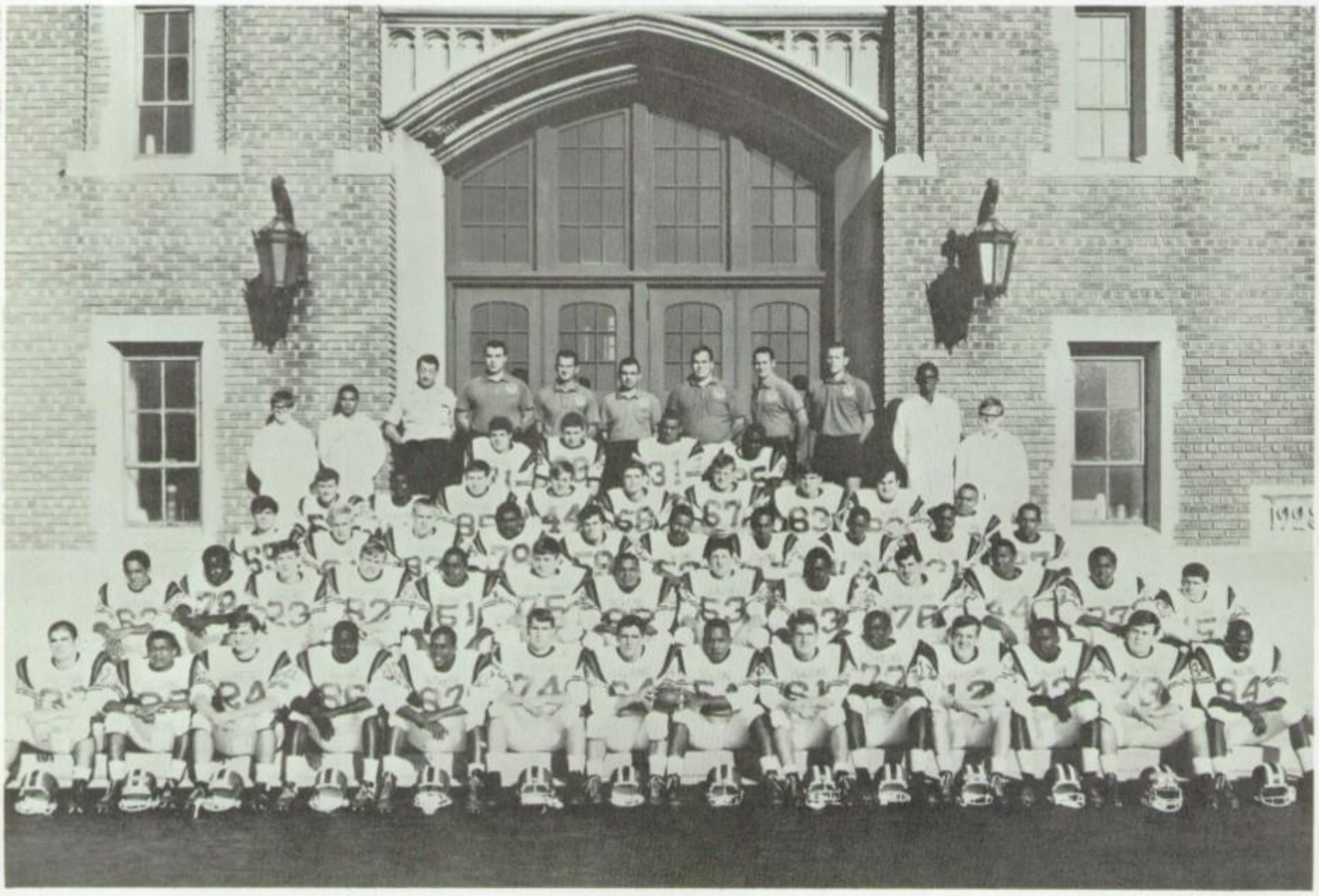
After an absence from the club scene for a period of two years, German Club was re-established under the direction of new sponsors.

Foremost of the activities of the group was a visitation to the Alpenhof, a local German restaurant, on December 27, 1968, where members enjoyed a Christmas banquet consisting of German food.

German Club was given city-wide publicity through the school's television program on WRFY-TV on Monday, March 24, 1969.

Spyridon Patton, master of ceremonies; Mr. Otto W. Voit, Jr., sponsor; Patrick Ciervo, president; Hans Leyer, vice president; John Printz, treasurer

Varsity Football



Row 1—Brian Beidler, Bobby Crawl, James Littlejohn, Vernon Carraway, Hermond Weaver, David Balloch, Francis Coleman, Raymond T. McFee, Dennis Fisher, John Glass, Richard Debiec, John Gilmore, George Yatron, Bradley Richardson; *Row 2*—Walter Fletcher, Dennis Smith, Robert Renninger, Michael Fromuth, Jay Lowman, Gerry Schwambach, Ronald Morrison, Stanley Kubacki, Samuel Brantley, Charles Sarti, Ronald Turpin, Larry Carwll, Martin Timothy Grant; *Row 3*—Jeffrey Swoyer, Jeffrey Darlington, Leonard Klein, Daniel Lee, Robert Thomas, Wilmon Giddens, William Willis, Doc Powers, Nathan Donaldson, Allison McCottrey; *Row 4*—Glen Bangs, Jeffrey Gilmore, Joseph Solecki, Robert Dauge, Randy Nein, James Wegelin, James Frees, Richard Mountz, Parker George; *Row 5*—Steve Gallas, Andrew Stopper, Richard Ellison, Darryl Simms; *Row 6*—Ronald Nein, Manager; Leonard Jenkins, Manager; Mr. Hobart Geesaman, Trainer; Mr. Mark Snyder, Assistant Coach; Mr. Vincent O'Bara, Associate Coach; Mr. Robert Dipipi, Head Coach; Mr. George Gamber, Assistant Coach; Mr. Jack Prutzman, Assistant Coach; Mr. Gerald Bricker, Assistant Coach; Jackie Mack, Dean Gift Manager; *Absent*—Kenneth Marcinkowski, Kevin Wade, David Peffer, Manager

Varsity Football Scores

Reading	28	Bethlehem High School	14	*Reading	27	Cedar Cliff High School	7
*Reading	6	Steelton High School	13	*Reading	13	William Penn High School	7
*Reading	20	John Harris High School	25	*Reading	12	Lebanon High School	13
*Reading	13	York High School	16	*Reading	7	Central Dauphin High School	14
*Reading	0	Williamsport High School	0	Reading	27	Pottsville High School	0
*Reading	33	Lancaster High School	0				

*Denotes Central Penn Conference League Games Won: 5 Lost: 5 Tied: 1

Varsity Football

Mr. Robert L. Dipipi
Head Coach

Mr. Gerald K. Bricker
Assistant Coach

Mr. Jack C. Prutzman
Assistant Coach

For Reading High School's opening gridiron encounter, the Knights traveled to Bethlehem in search of their first victory. By amassing a ground attack of 282 yards, Reading rolled to a 28-14 conquest over Liberty High.

Reading was less fortunate in the next three games. On home grounds, Steelton High and the Red Knights waged a 6-6 duel until a Steamroller stole the football and scampered sixty-three yards for the winning touchdown. As a result, Reading lost 13-6. For his outstanding performance in this contest, Red Knight Raymond T. McFee was named Lineman of the Week by the Touchdown Club of Berks County. Wishing to avenge a 27-0 defeat suffered last year, the Knights challenged John Harris and their thirty-eight game winning streak. Dipipi's shock troop was leading until late in the fourth quarter when the Pioneers scored and made Reading victim number thirty-nine with a final score of 25-20. York High extended the Knights' losing streak as they upset our gridmen by a narrow 16-13 score.

At Williamsport, the Castle gridmen fought the Millionaires to a discouraging 0-0 deadlock.

At mid-season, the tide turned for the better when the Red Knights registered three consecutive wins. By crushing Lancaster High 33-0, the Knights earned their first league victory. Cedar Cliff was next to fall as Reading downed the Colts 27-7. Then, the Knights handed William Penn a 13-7 setback. For his superb playing in this game, the Touchdown Club of Berks County presented the Lineman of the Week award to Francis Coleman. This was the Knights' last league victory of the season.

Reading High lost the next two games by close margins. At Lebanon, the Knights could muster only two tallies. As a result, Reading lost to the Cedars by a 13-12 score. Once again on foreign soil, our Knights suffered their second straight loss, 14-7, from Central Dauphin.

Albright Stadium was the scene for the traditional Thanksgiving Day game with Pottsville. By halftime, the Knights led the Crimson Tide 20-0. In the third quarter, the Castlemen registered another TD to make the final score 27-0. Thus, Reading High earned a one-year possession of the cherished "Lump of Anthracite" coal trophy.

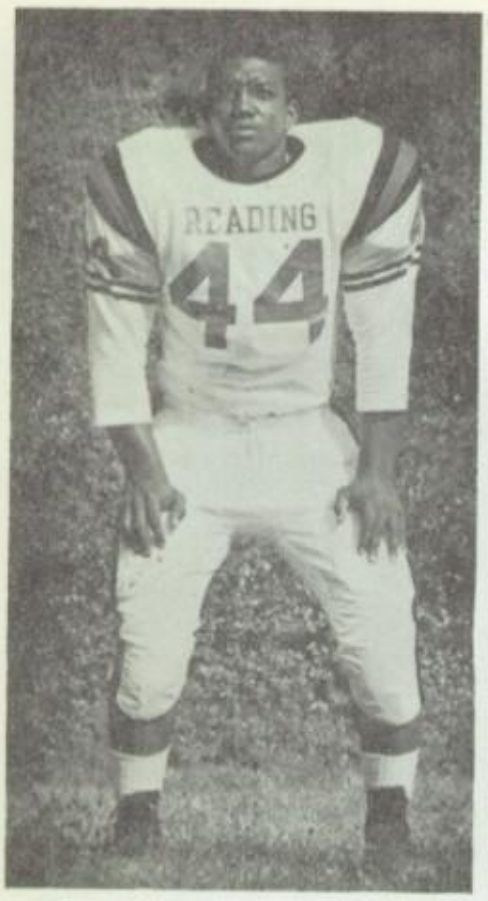
Francis Coleman was honored as "Lineman of the Year" by the Touchdown Club. Raymond T. McFee was honored as the lone Reading player on the first team All-CPC. With a 3-5-1 standing, Reading High placed seventh in Central Penn Conference action.

Mr. Vincent O'Bara
Associate Coach

Mr. George Gamber
Assistant Coach

Mr. Mark Snyder
Assistant Coach

Knights of the Gridiron



Ronald Turpin
Tailback

Timothy Grant
Quarterback

Richard Debiec
Quarterback

Michael Fromuth
Tight End

Hermond Weaver
Tight End

Larry Carwll
Fullback

Bradley Richardson
Split End

Vernon Carraway
Split End

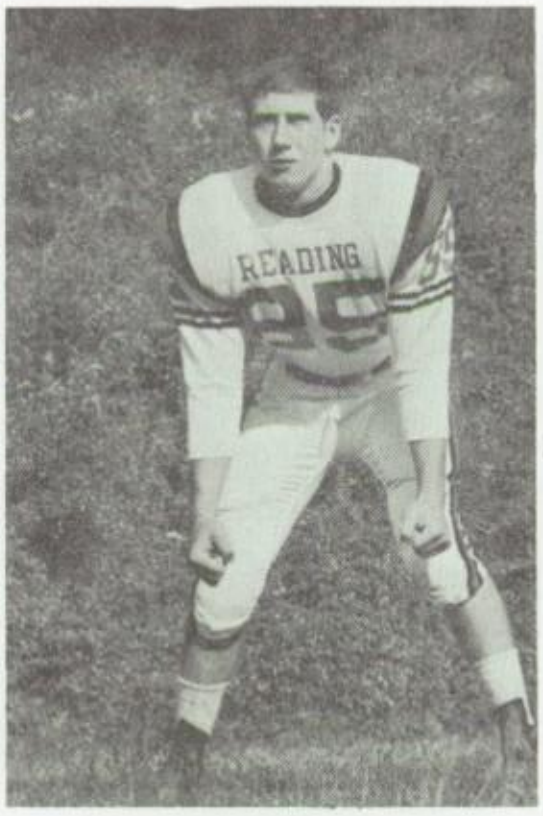
Knights of the Gridiron

David Balloch
Offensive Tackle

John Glass
Offensive Tackle

George Yatron
Defensive Tackle

Francis Coleman
Guard



Joseph Solecki
Linebacker

Dennis Fisher
Guard

Bobby Crawl
Wingback

Raymond McFee
Center

James Littlejohn
Wingback

Junior Varsity Football

Coaches—Mr. Gerald K. Bricker
Mr. George G. Gamber

Reading's junior varsity football squad opened its season on foreign soil with a 19-6 verdict over Lancaster Catholic. In this contest, Len Klein, Jeff Gilmore and Parker George each scored a touchdown.

During the first grid clash at home, the Knights tallied three touchdowns in the second half to blank Mifflin, 21-0. Reading tallies were made by Parker George, Jeff Gilmore and Doc Powers.

In the highest scoring game of the season, the Baby Knights overpowered Allentown-Dieruff, 39-6. In each quarter, the Red Knights scored one or more touchdowns. By the end of the game, Parker George and Jeff Swoyer each scored two; Glenn Bangs and Jay Lowman each scored one.

By blanking the next three opponents, namely Wilson; 27-0, the Hill School; 18-0, and Lancaster; 12-0, Reading extended its winning streak to six in a row. In the Wilson grid clash, Bill Willis scored the first touchdown, followed by one in the second quarter by Len Klein. In the fourth quarter of the same contest, Randy Nein and Ken Jones each tallied a touchdown. At the Hill School, the Baby Knights won their fifth consecutive game of the season when Jeff Darlington, Drew Stopper and Parker George each registered a touchdown. This was the first year the Baby Knights played the Hill School in the past twenty years. In the sixth game of their winning spree, the Knights trampled the Lancaster Tornadoes, 12-0. Daryl Simms and Kevin Wade each scored one touchdown.

Hopes for a perfect winning season were shattered when the Muhlenberg Muhls edged a 7-0 victory over the Baby Knights.

In the final game of the season, the Knights put up a good fight against Lebanon, but were defeated 8-6. Parker George ran forty-eight yards to make the score 6-0. Then, Lebanon scored a safety as Parker George was tackled in the end zone. In the third quarter, Lebanon tallied a touchdown to give the visitors an 8-6 victory over the Knights.

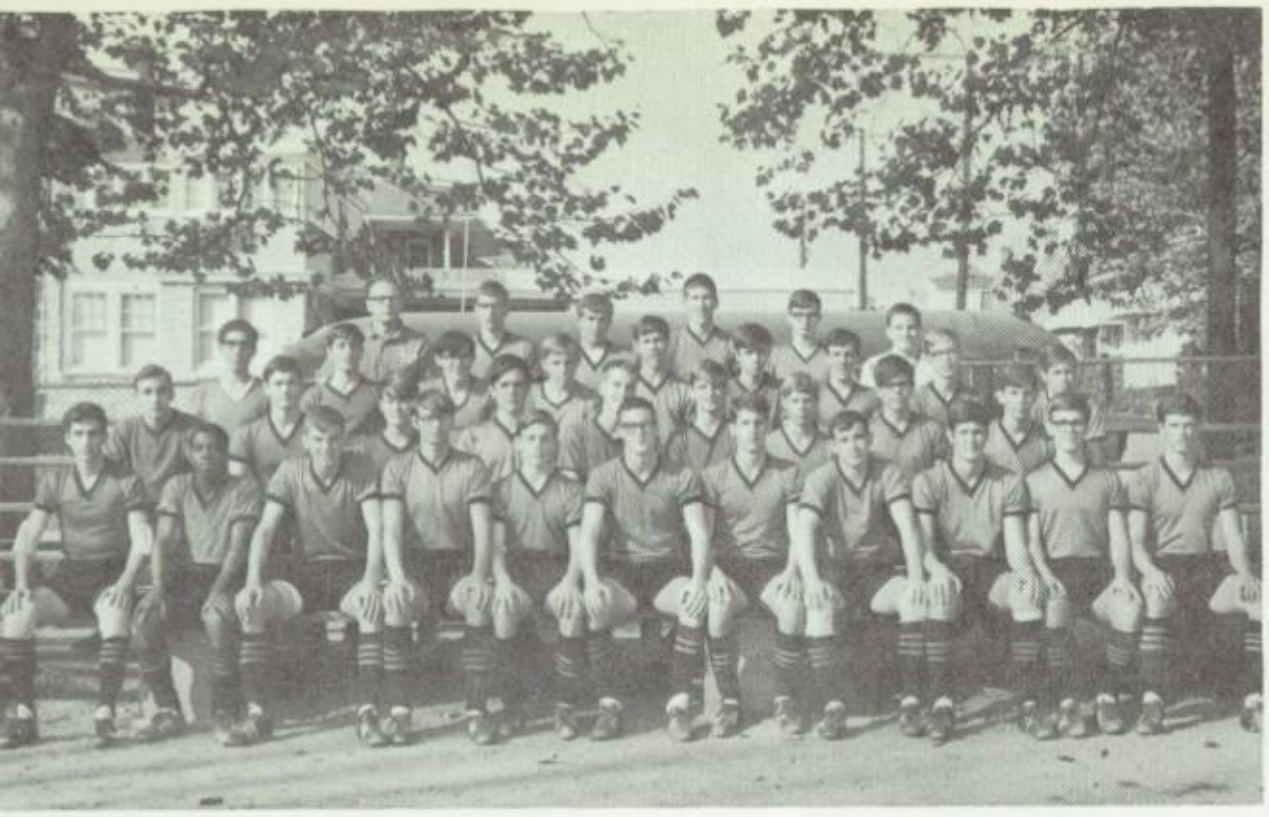
Row 1—Michael Hoffman, Steven Gallas, Kevin Wade, Robert Zolton, Richard Mountz, Andrew Stopper, Jarvis Randolph, Glenn Bangs, Frankie Davis, Sammy Crawl, Larry Copeland; *Row 2*—Michael Toole, James Wegelin, James Williams, James Jones, Jeffrey Swoyer, Douglas Liddicoat, Samuel Gentile, Tillman Simms, Kenneth Jones, James Cinesi; *Row 3*—Randall Nein, Nicholas Kubacki, Eric Morrison, Jesse Johnson, Harvey Henry, Craig Stewart, Robert Raifsnyder, Albert Schade, Gregory Schwambach, Terry McKechnie; *Row 4*—Larry Walker, Neil Wilson, Zedric Hamilton, Walter Kazmierczak, Jeffrey Melnyk, Thomas Pinkasavage, Robert Dague; *Row 5*—Dennis Smith, James Frees, David Peffer, Wilmon Giddens, Darryl Simms

Junior Varsity Football Scores

Reading	19	Lancaster Catholic High School	6
Reading	21	Governor Mifflin High School	0
Reading	39	Allentown-Dieruff High School	6
Reading	27	Wilson Joint High School	0
Reading	18	Hill School	0
Reading	12	Lancaster High School	0
Reading	0	Muhlenberg Township High School	7
Reading	6	Lebanon High School	8

Won. 6 Lost: 2 Tied: 0

In the Allentown-Dieruff grid clash, Parker George dashes down the field for his second touchdown of the game.



Row 1—Jack Wood, James Johnson, James Bolognese, Robert Boucher, Gary Motyl, John Auchenbach, Kevin McQuaite, Scott Beidler, Robert Krug, Peter Stelmach, Gary Schultz; *Row 2*—Joseph Caruso, Robert Moyer, John Potteiger, David Hallowell, James Lillis, Richard Stafford, Robert Brightenstein, Eric Jaxheimer, Glen Reinhart; *Row 3*—Jeffrey Brok, George Koumaras, Dale Maurer, Gregory Geiger, William Gensinger, Craig Ciarlone, Craig Correl, Steven Kennedy, Timothy Smith; *Row 4* — Mr. James A. Ervin, head coach; Alfred Rossignoli, Alvin Stern William Ulrich, Michael Brusca, Randy Walters; *Absent* — Joseph Cupani, William Hines, Stuart Kennedy

Scott Beidler heads the ball to gain extra yardage in a scoring spree against the Wilson High School Bulldogs.

Kevin McQuaite, Reading player; Wilson opponent; Scott Beidler, Reading player; Wilson opponent; Robert Krug, Reading player

Soccer

Coach—Mr. James A. Ervin

In their initial game, Coach James A. Ervin's booters came through with a fine 4-1 victory over Wilson High at the opponent's field. Scott Beidler mastered a hat trick by scoring three times.

Reading's Municipal Stadium was the setting for the Red Knights' only night game. As a result of a penalty kick by Gary Schultz, Reading was able to edge Conrad Weiser, the defending champions, 1-0.

In the first stalemate of the season, Reading opened its game with Cedar Crest quickly by scoring in the first quarter. Peter Stelmach made Reading's only tally with a head ball. With five minutes left in the match, the visiting Falcons scored once.

Reading's first soccer defeat in league competition was inflicted by Tulpehocken, 2-1. In the Knights' second consecutive setback, a forty-foot goal made by a Trojan in the third quarter gave Elco the deciding 1-0 edge.

After two straight losses, Reading posted two consecutive wins. First, the Knights crushed Wilson High 7-0 on our home grounds. In a return match with Conrad Weiser, the Red Knights again defeated the Scouts, but this time by 2-0.

For the second time this year, Reading High and Cedar Crest fought to a 1-1 tie.

Reading concluded its soccer season with three successive losses. First, the Knights were held scoreless at the hands of the Tulpehocken High School, 1-0. In the next encounter, the Red Knights were deprived of a victory when the Trojans ended with two points on the slate. Reading's tally by Kevin McQuaite remained singular. Reading High suffered its last defeat to Lancaster High School, 5-2, in the only non-league game of the season.

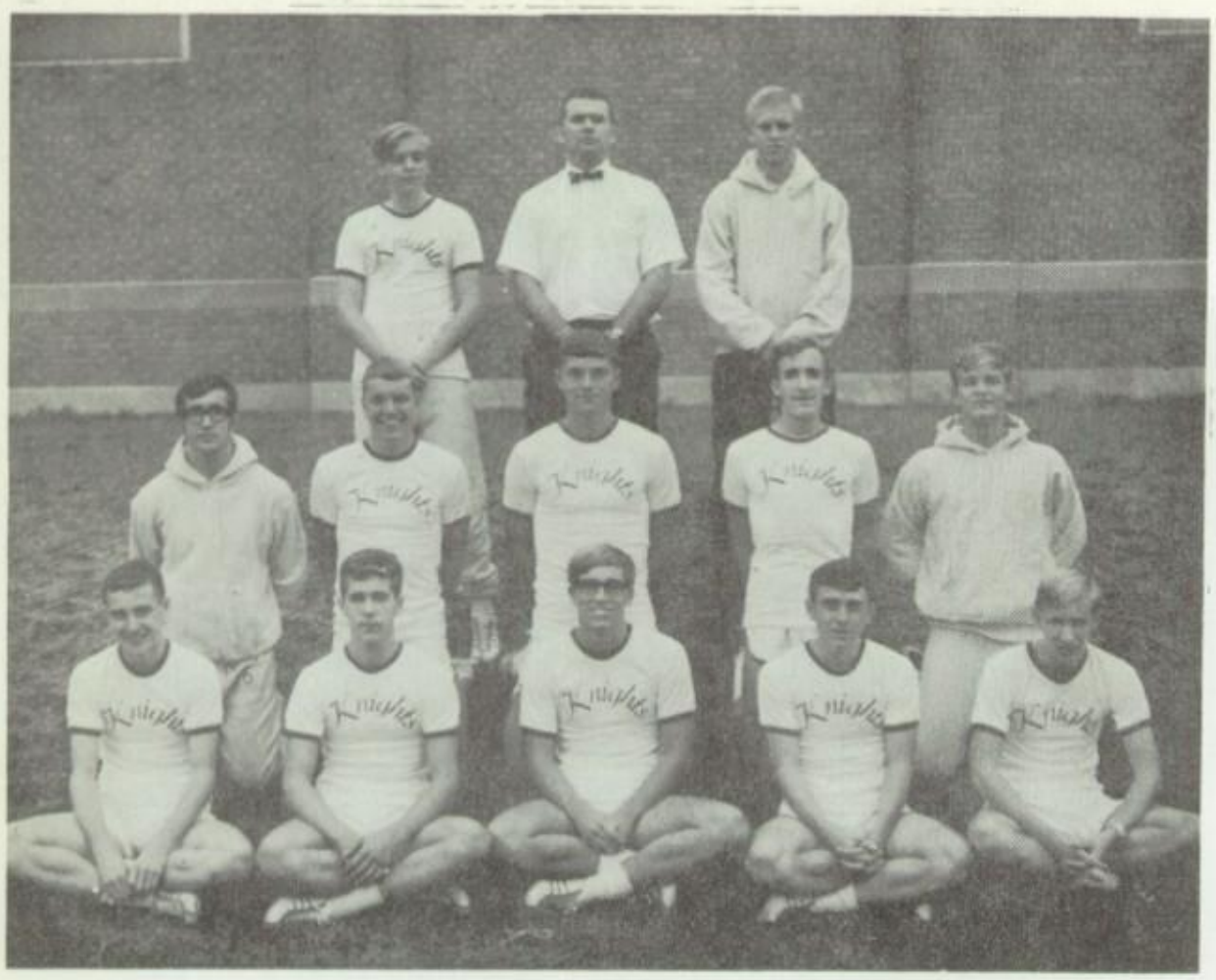
With a record of 4-5-2, the Knights ended the season in fourth place in league competition.

Soccer Scores

*Reading	4	Wilson High School	1
*Reading	1	Conrad Weiser High School	0
*Reading	1	Cedar Crest High School	1
*Reading	1	Tulpehocken High School	2
*Reading	0	Elco High School	1
*Reading	7	Wilson High School	0
*Reading	2	Conrad Weiser High School	0
*Reading	1	Cedar Crest High School	1
*Reading	0	Tulpehocken High School	1
*Reading	1	Elco High School	2
Reading	2	Lancaster High School	5

*Denotes Berks County Soccer League Game (Western Division)

Won: 4 Lost: 5 Tied: 2



Row 1—Robert Stock, Rory Gehman, Lee High, Philip Giandomenico, Daryll Blankenbiller; *Row 2*—David Debiec, Scott Swoyer, John Shinkus, John Maiale, William Guard; *Row 3*—Dennis Bowers, Mr. James H. Gano, coach; James Jablonski, Nelson Dillman, William Shumway

Coach James H. Gano congratulates John Maiale for his outstanding achievement throughout the season.

Mr. James H. Gano, coach; John Maiale

Cross Country

Coach—Mr. James H. Gano

By capturing the top six places in their first meet, the Knights opened the season with a 15-49 victory over the Lebanon harriers. On home grounds, the Castle lads reversed the York distance runners 20-43.

In the third meet, Camp Hill squeezed a 26-29 win from the Knights. Following this setback, the Red Knights lost again by a close score as John Harris edged the Castle runners 24-31.

By taking three out of the first five places in the Central Dauphin meet, the Red Knights were able to register a decisive 23-32 win over their opponents. Reading High's runners posted their fourth win against two defeats by a 19-40 score over Conrad Weiser. By a 24-26 tally over the William Penn Tigers, the Red Knights extended their winning streak to three in a row. Hopes for another successive win faded when Cedar Cliff easily reversed the Red Knights 19-41.

In the Central Dauphin East meet, the Castlemen registered an easy 15-55 victory with John Maiale capturing first place with a time of 13:00. Reading's squad finished the schedule with a 17-42 win over the Carlisle High School.

At the All-League-Run at Gettysburg College, Reading's team earned a fourth place position in a field of ten competitors. In this meet of seventy-seven individual participants, John Maiale paced the Reading runners with a fourth place position.

In the District 3 P.I.A.A. Class A competition in which twenty-two schools participated, Reading's team placed thirteenth. Of the one hundred and fifty-one runners in this meet, John Maiale led the Knights by finishing thirteenth.

No Castle harriers were eligible for the State Finals.

Cross Country Scores

(Lower Score Wins)

*Reading	15	Lebanon High School	49
*Reading	20	York High School	43
*Reading	29	Camp Hill High School	26
*Reading	31	John Harris High School	24
*Reading	23	Central Dauphin High School	32
Reading	19	Conrad Weiser High School	40
*Reading	24	William Penn High School	36
*Reading	41	Cedar Cliff High School	19
*Reading	15	Central Dauphin East High School	55
*Reading	17	Carlisle High School	42

*Denotes Central Penn League Meets

Won: 7 Lost: 3 Tied: 0

Varsity Basketball

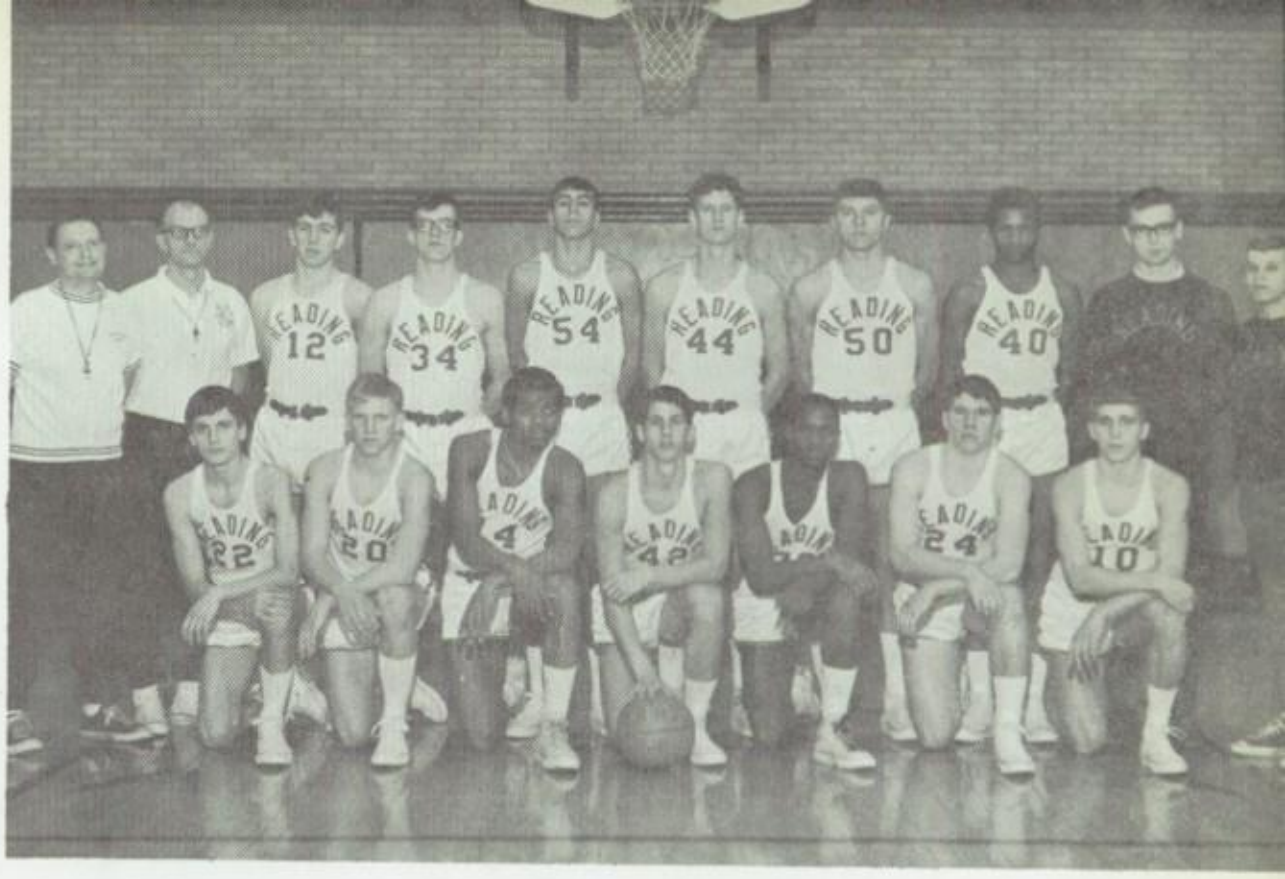
Head Coach—Mr. Max A. Missbach, Jr.
Assistant Coaches—Mr. James H. Gano
Mr. Bernard Lillis

In the 1968-1969 basketball season, the varsity squad developed into a team of hustlers. After losing five out of their first six games, the Knights finally made amends for their lack of outstanding height and individual scoring threats by working as a team. Starting with Wyoming Valley West, a District II opponent, the Castlemen were off to a six-game winning streak. During this string of victories, the best offensive, 82 points, and defensive 29 points, were made. John Harris ended the chain of wins by beating Reading in the last contest of the first half of the season. At this point, Missbach's cagers stood in fourth place in the CPC with a six-three league record.

For the first six games of the second half of the season, the Knights posted a strange record of alternating wins then losses. Successive conquests in the final three games gave the Reading dribblers a run of three straight victories. Once again Reading compiled a six to three log in conference play, but this time a tie for third position was attained.

With a final record of 12-6 in league play, Reading placed fourth in Central Penn Conference action. In over-all action, the Knights posted a 13-9 record.

For the second straight year, John Shinkus and Walker Wadsworth finished first and second, respectively, in the Reading High School basketball point scoring. Shinkus led the team with 290 points followed by Wadsworth with 277 points.



Row 1—Randy Detterline, James Jablonski, Anthony Giddens, Kevin McQuaite, Doc Powers, Martin Grant, Rory Gehman; *Row 2*—Mr. Max A. Missbach Jr., head coach; Mr. Bernard B. Lillis, assistant coach; David Stafford, Richard Debeic, Thomas Sweitzer, Walker Wadsworth, John Shinkus, Lawrence Carter, Howard Himmelreich, manager; Steven Pierce, manager

Varsity Basketball Scores

Reading	38	Governor Mifflin High School	56
Reading	52	Phoenixville High School	58
*Reading	48	Central Dauphin East High School	61
*Reading	54	York High School	38
*Reading	44	Cedar Cliff High School	54
Reading	38	Coatesville High School	40
Reading	59	Wyoming Valley West High School	45
*Reading	60	William Penn High School	58
*Reading	63	Lebanon High School	51
*Reading	56	Steelton-Highspire High School	53
*Reading	82	Lancaster High School	47
*Reading	52	Central Dauphin High School	29
*Reading	60	John Harris High School	65
*Reading	67	Central Dauphin East High School	46
*Reading	36	York High School	43
*Reading	52	Cedar Cliff High School	38
*Reading	34	William Penn High School	55
*Reading	51	Lebanon High School	36
*Reading	36	Steelton-Highspire High School	49
*Reading	70	Lancaster High School	35
*Reading	44	Central Dauphin High School	32
*Reading	61	John Harris High School	54

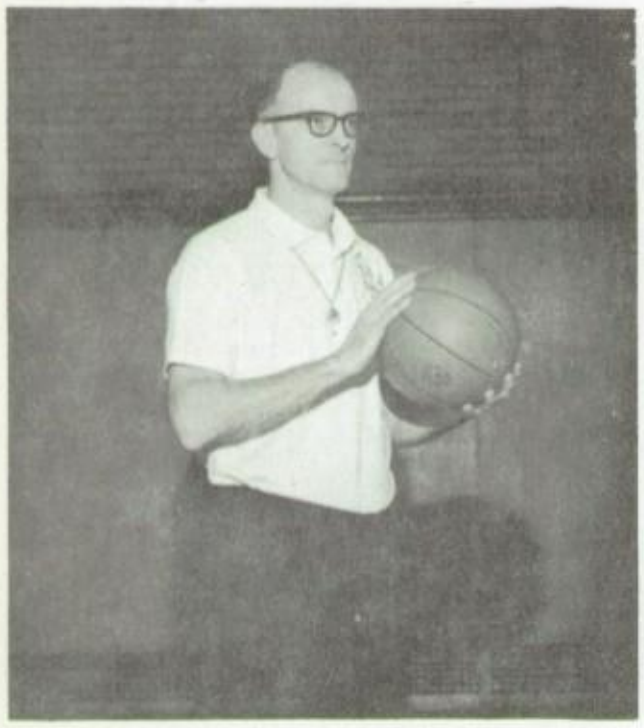
*Denotes Central Penn Conference games

Reading—Non-Conference	Won:	1	Lost:	3
Reading—Conference	Won:	12	Lost:	6
Totals	Won:	13	Lost:	9

After Walker Wadsworth's hand off, John Shinkus executes a lay-up shot during the Reading-Steelton Highspire encounter.

Missbach's Hardwood Hustlers

Mr. Max A. Missbach, Jr.
Head Coach



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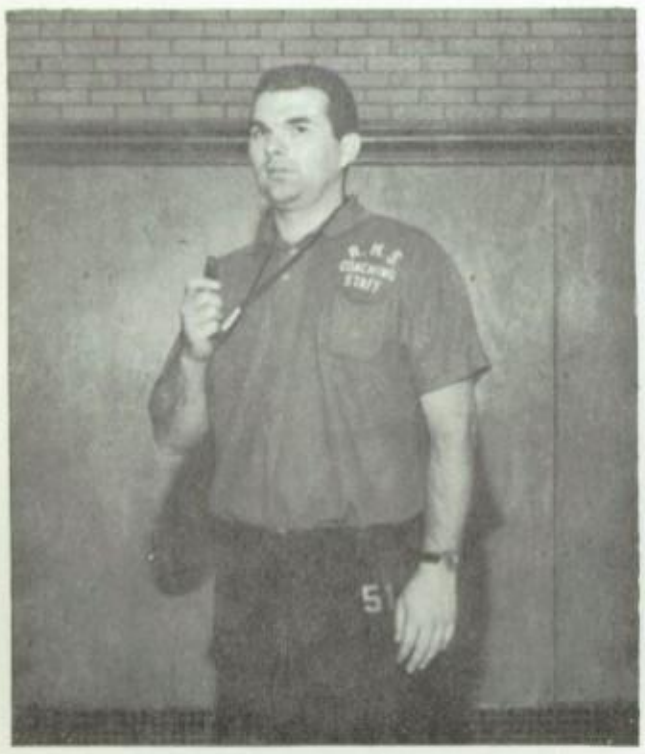
Assistant Coach



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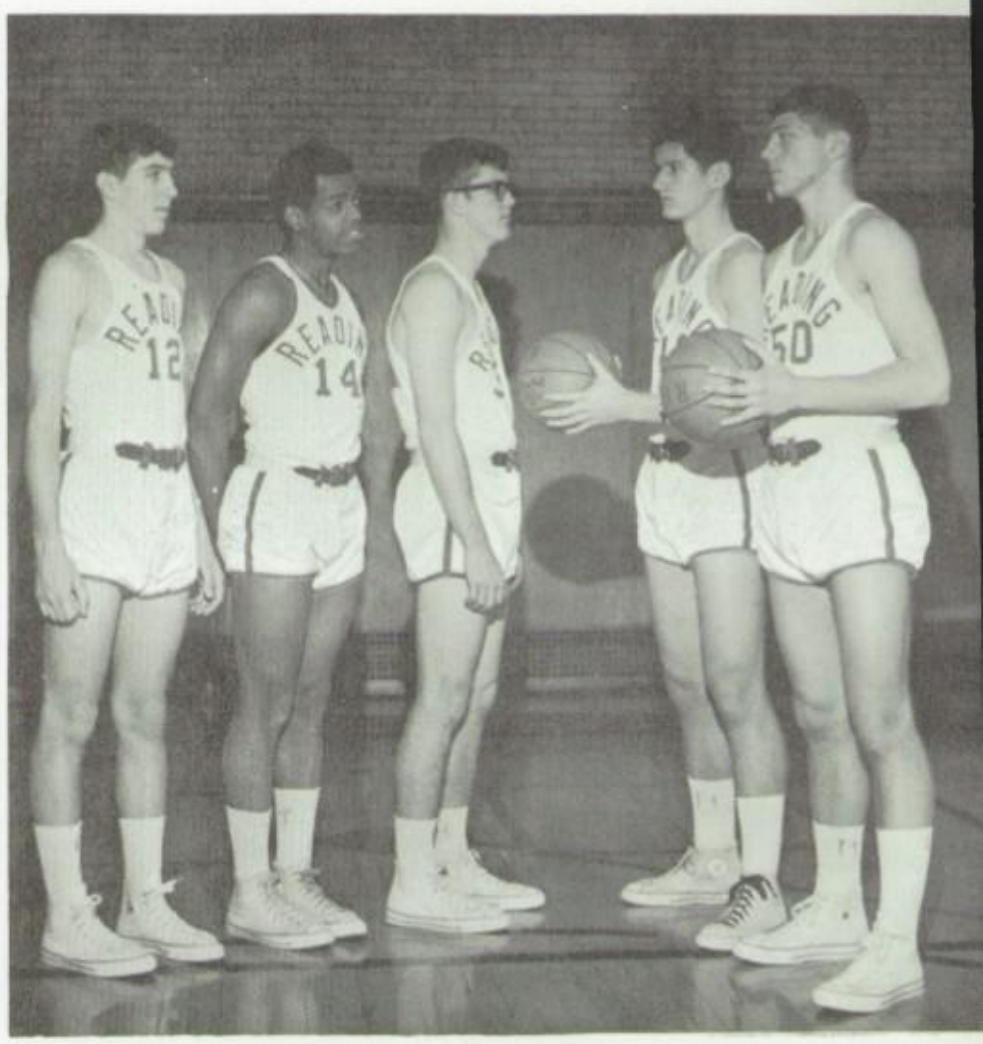
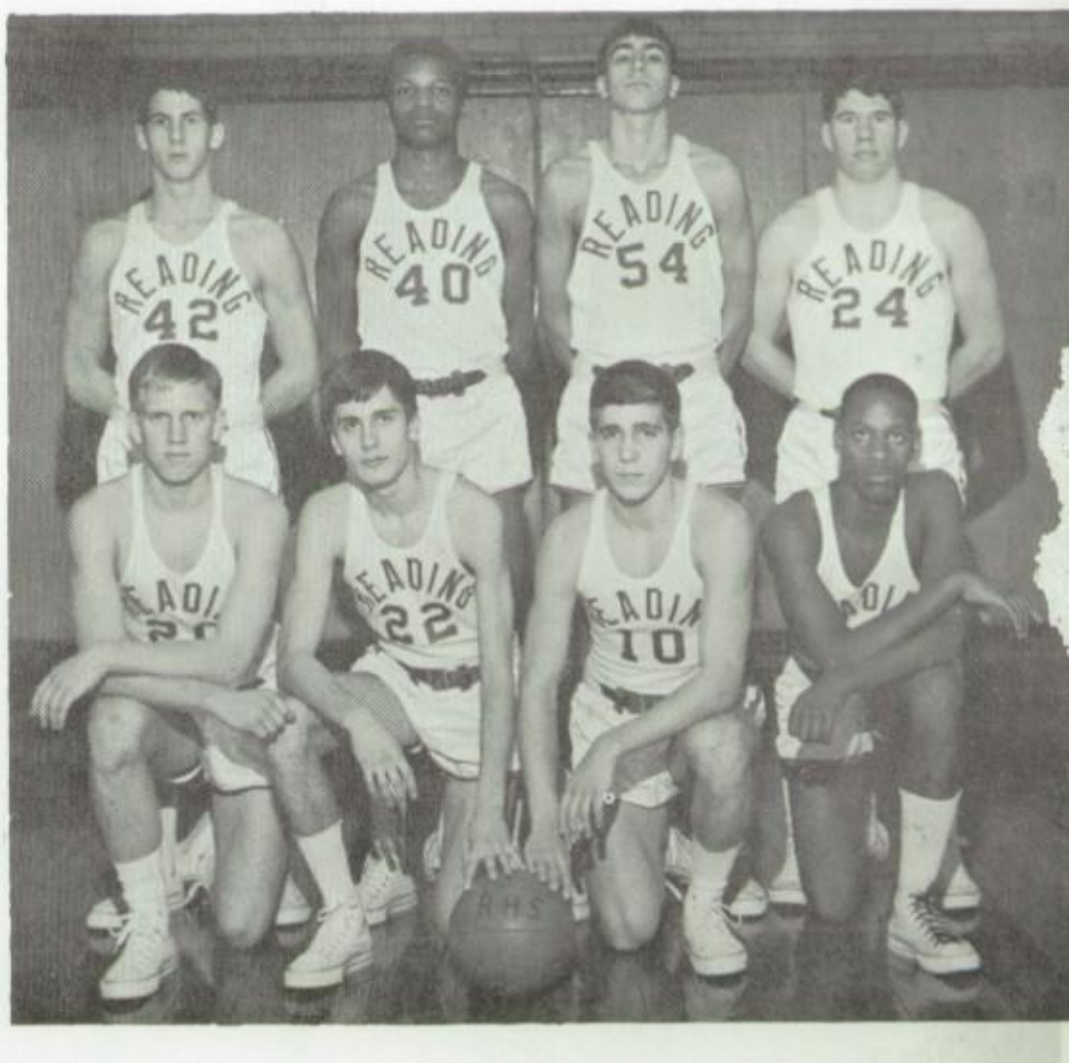


Starters

David Stafford, Anthony Giddens, Richard Debiec, Walker Wadsworth, John Shinkus

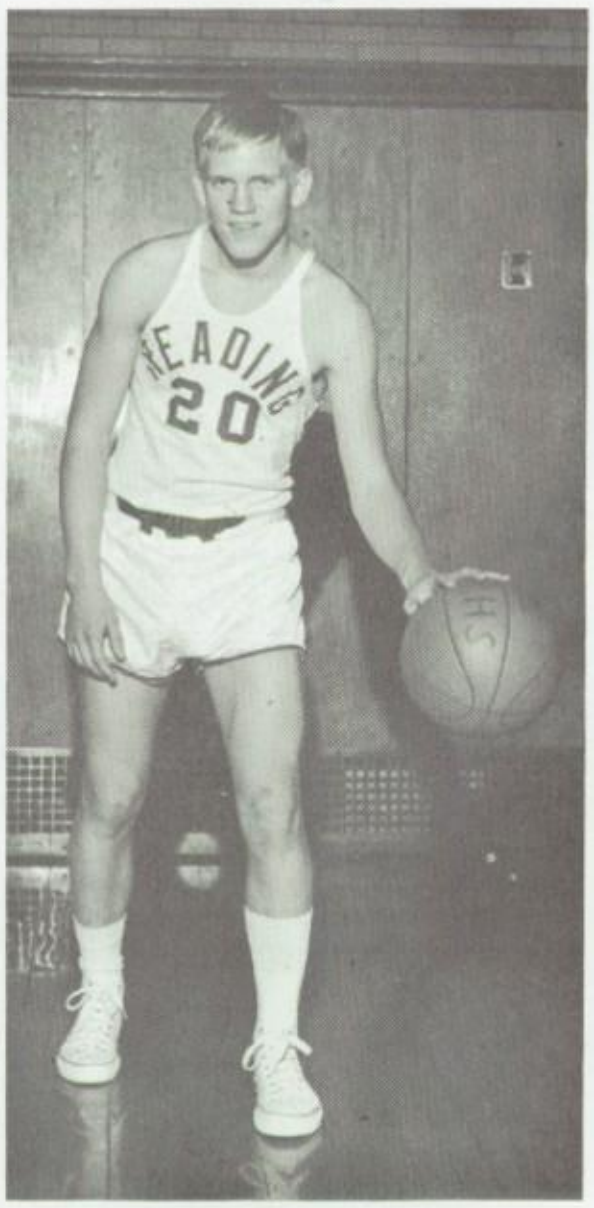


Reserves

Kneeling—James Jablonski, Randy Detterline, Rory Gehman, Doc Powers; *Standing*—Kevin McQuaite, Larry Carter, Thomas Sweitzer, Martin Grant

Missbach's Hardwood Hustlers

Walker Wadsworth
Forward

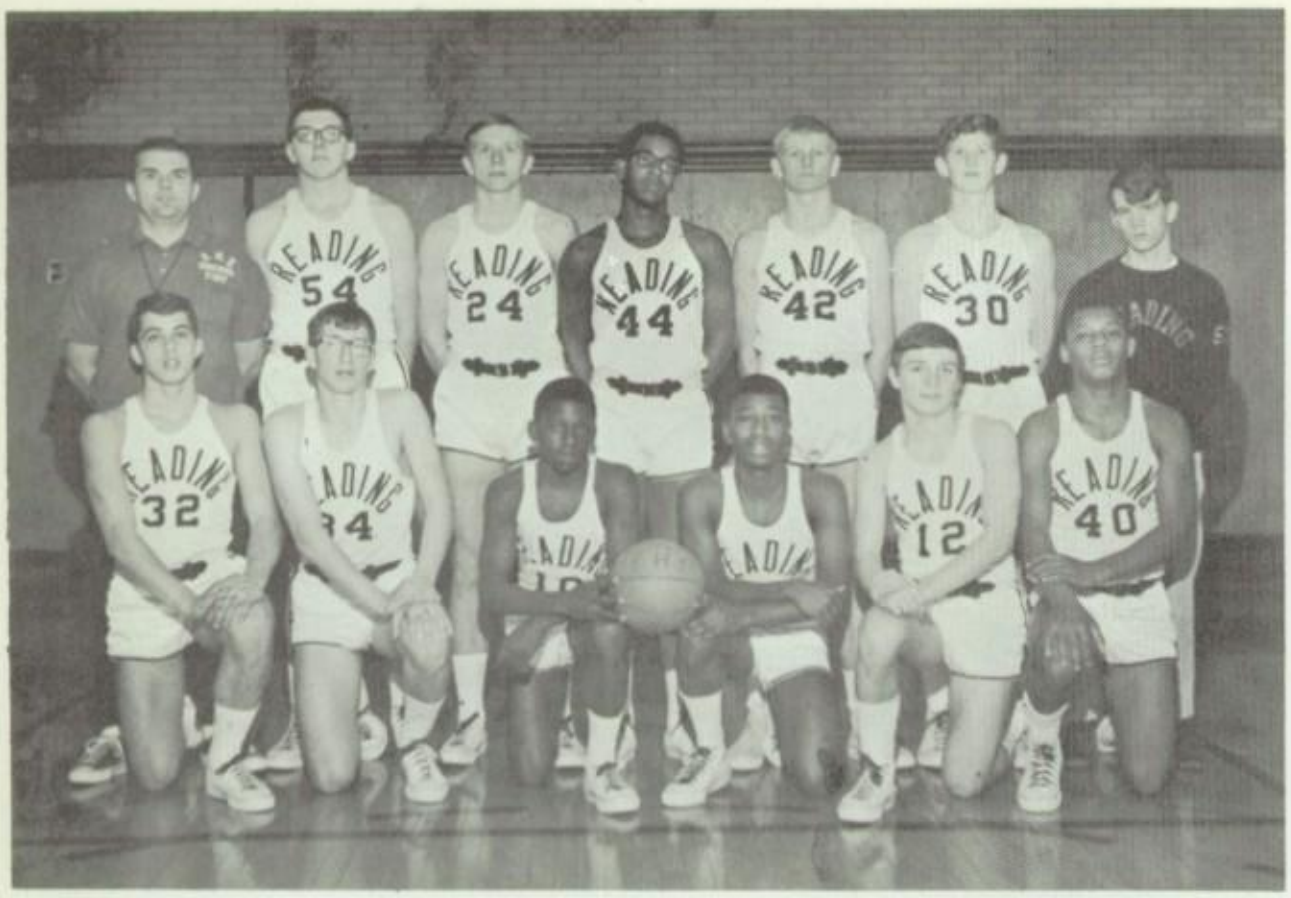


James Jablonski
Guard

John Shinkus
Center

Richard Debiec
Forward

Martin Grant
Guard



Row 1—James Cinesi, Alfred Rossignoli, Harry Parker, Willie Harvey, Drew Stopper, James Andrews; *Row 2*—Mr. James H. Gano, coach; Patrick Fitzgerald, John Ignatosky, James Caldwell, Michael Barber, Kenneth Stubblebine, Jessie Johnson, manager

Junior Varsity Basketball

Coach—Mr. James H. Gano

For the first time in many years, the Reading Junior Varsity Basketball team opened the season with two non-conference opponents instead of the customary four. Reading succeeded in defeating both foes by overpowering nearby Governor Mifflin, 67-34, and Phoenixville, 52-44. Previous opposition not included in the schedule this year were Norristown and William Allen.

In league competition, the Baby Knights earned a third place position by winning thirteen games and losing only five.

During the season Reading's junior varsity squad played their conference opponents twice. Reading won both games against York, Cedar Cliff, Lebanon, Lancaster, and John Harris. Single wins were registered against Central Dauphin East, William Penn, and Central Dauphin. In the unbelievable finish, Reading lost only one of its last ten games and that to title-winning Steelton-Highspire by six points. Steelton-Highspire was the only team that defeated the Baby Knights in the two games.

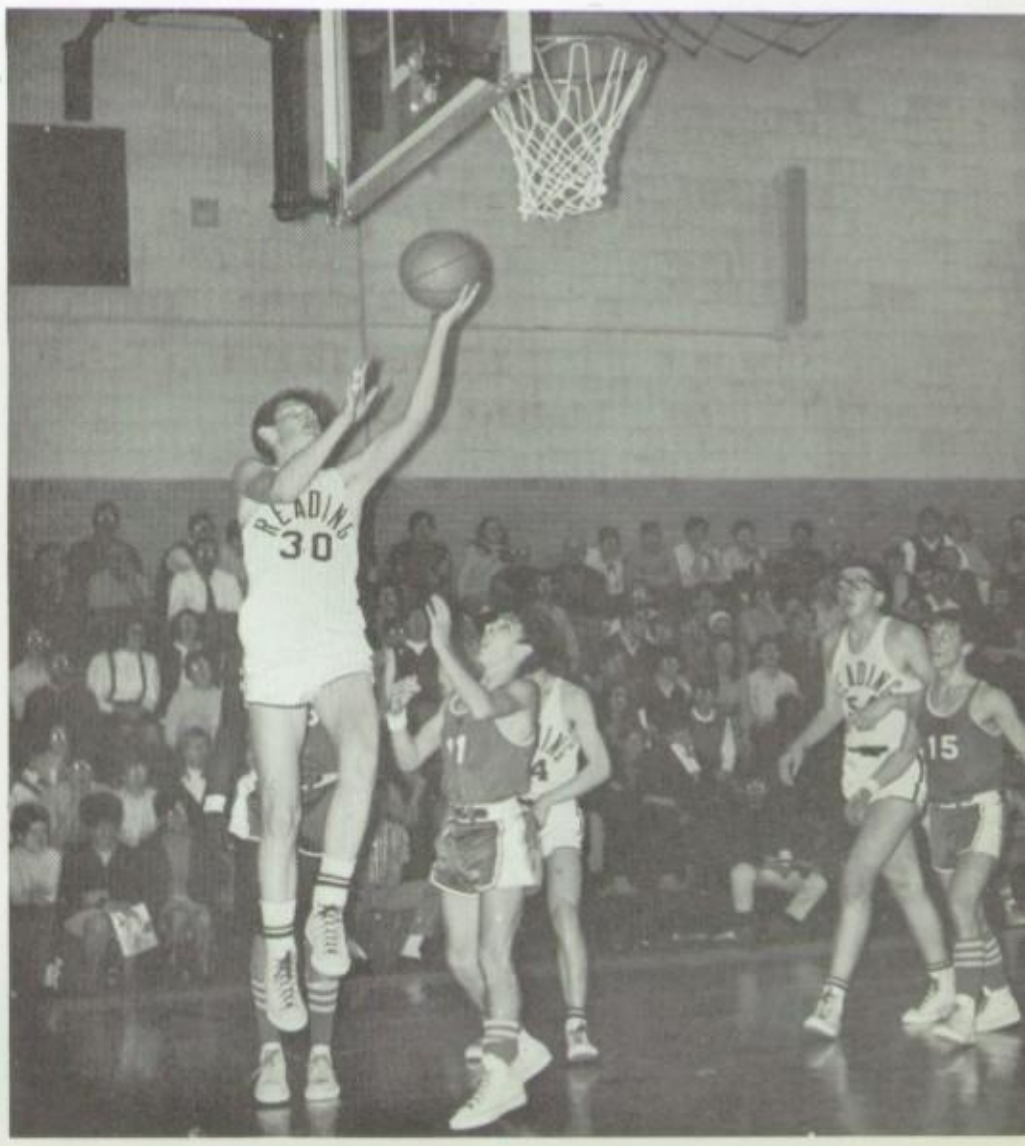
Leading jayvee scorer was John Ignatosky with 259 points, which gave him a thirteen point average. Second was Kenneth Stubblebine with 170 in seventeen games which gave him a ten point average for the season.

Junior Varsity Basketball Scores

Reading	67	Governor Mifflin High School	34
Reading	52	Phoenixville High School	44
*Reading	33	Central Dauphin East High School	46
*Reading	53	York High School	49
*Reading	59	Cedar Cliff High School	46
*Reading	55	William Penn High School	57
*Reading	44	Lebanon High School	37
*Reading	58	Steelton-Highspire High School	69
*Reading	49	Lancaster High School	31
*Reading	45	Central Dauphin High School	50
*Reading	42	John Harris High School	41
*Reading	62	Central Dauphin East High School	40
*Reading	58	York High School	50
*Reading	64	Cedar Cliff High School	48
*Reading	37	William Penn High School	33
*Reading	54	Lebanon High School	43
*Reading	45	Steelton-Highspire High School	51
*Reading	59	Lancaster High School	30
*Reading	67	Central Dauphin High School	32
*Reading	44	John Harris High School	35

* Denotes Central Penn Conference Games

Non-Conference	Won: 2	Lost: 0
Conference	Won: 13	Lost: 5
Total	Won: 15	Lost: 5



By registering twenty-two points, Kenneth Stubblebine was the top Reading scorer in the first Steelton-Highspire game.

Wrestling

Head Coach—
Mr. Jack C. Prutzman
Assistant Coach—
Mr. Nelson D. Berlin
Junior High Coach—
Mr. Richard H. Morrow
Junior High Coach—
Mr. George T. Benedick

New opponents in the Red Knights' independent schedule this year were Schuylkill Valley, Dieruff, and Wilson. Valley Forge, another new entry, was canceled.

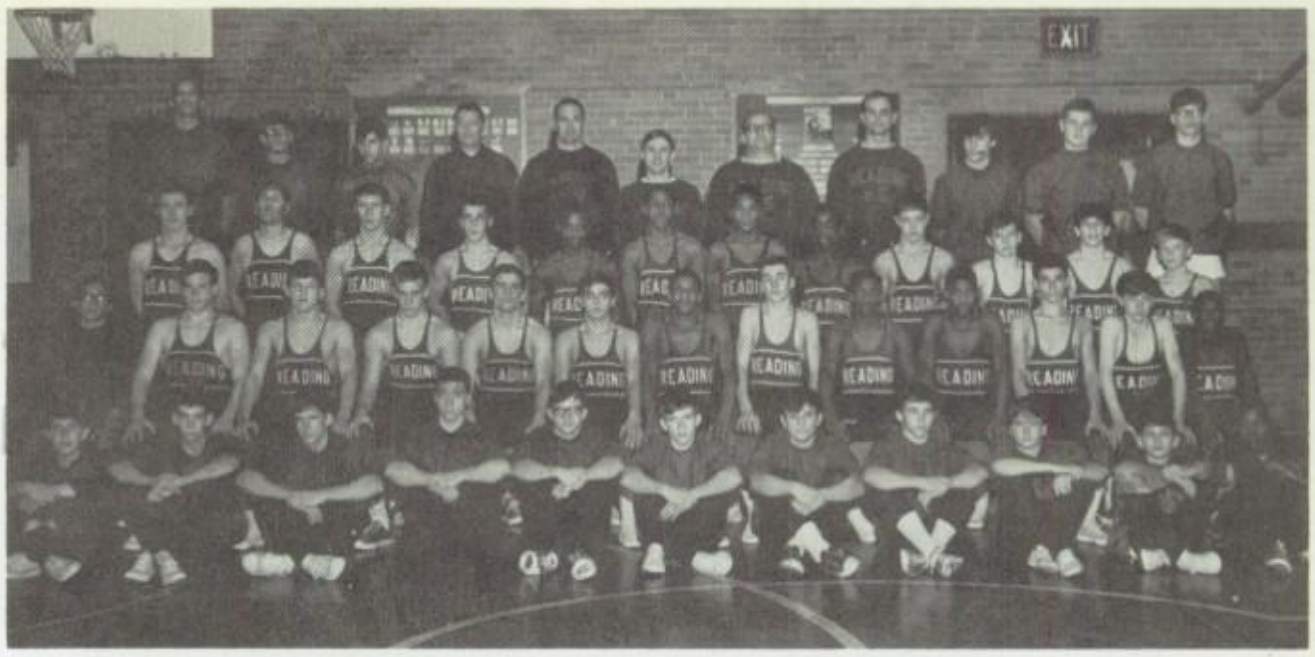
In the Elco Tourney held at Elco High School, Bobby Crawl 138 and Francis Coleman 154 emerged as champions. Gerald Robinson 120 and Robert Stock 133 placed second in the tournament. As a team, Reading placed second in competition with fifteen schools.

At the Berks County Sectional Tournament which took place at Northwest Junior High School, Reading's squad earned the sectional title with 64 points. Individually, four Red Knights earned championship honors in the finals of the tournament. They were Gerald Robinson 120, Robert Stock 133, Bobby Crawl 138, and Francis Coleman 154. In this event, Bobby Crawl won his third sectional title. Previously, he won similar honors in 1967 in the 133 pound class, and in 1968 in the 138 pound class. For Francis Coleman, this was his second title. In 1968, he won top sectional honor in the 145 pound class.

In District III competition held at the Farm Show Building in Harrisburg, Reading High School's finalists were Robert Stock 133, and Francis Coleman 154. This is the first time in the past twelve years that Reading had two finalists in first place.

In the regionals held at Upper Darby High School, Francis Coleman 154 and Robert Stock 133 lost in competition.

Mr. Jack C. Prutzman, head coach, and Mr. Nelson D. Berlin, assistant coach congratulate Bobby Crawl and Francis Coleman for the outstanding record each wrestler earned during the 1968-1969 season.

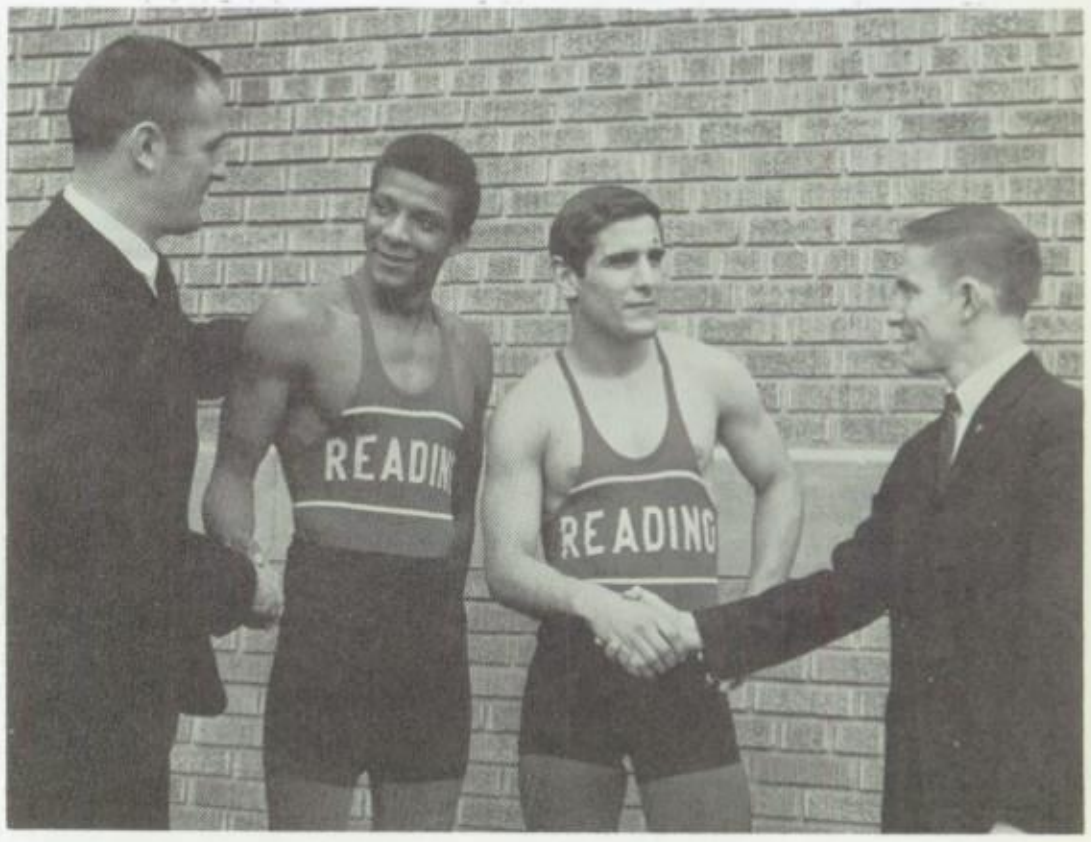


Row 1—**Shelvon Ash, Douglas Shears, Warren Volker, Lloyd Gerhart, unidentified,** Richard Slimmer, Richard Kuhn, David Geary, Kenneth Moser, Walter Weed, Calvin Robinson; *Row 2*—Edward Recker, James Wegelin, Stan Kubacki, Leonard Kline, Francis Coleman, Terry Pingitore, Bobby Crawl, Robert Stock, Gerald Robinson, Larry Crawl, Terry Breidegam, David Cummings, Kevin Robinson; *Row 3*—Michael Heinecke, Michael Auchenbach, Joe Solecki, Norman Radies, Ricardo Bailey, Timothy Cook, James Mosely, Eric Morrison, David Price, Gary Boyer, David Weidenhammer, Kenny Mosser; *Row 4*—James Williams, Ronald Heebner, Anthony Civitarese, Mr. Hobart Geeseman, trainer; Mr. Jack Prutzman, head coach; Mr. Nelson Berlin, assistant coach; Mr. Richard Morrow, junior high coach; Mr. George Benedick, junior high coach; James Cocuzza, William Hitchcock, Robert Radamski

Wrestling Scores

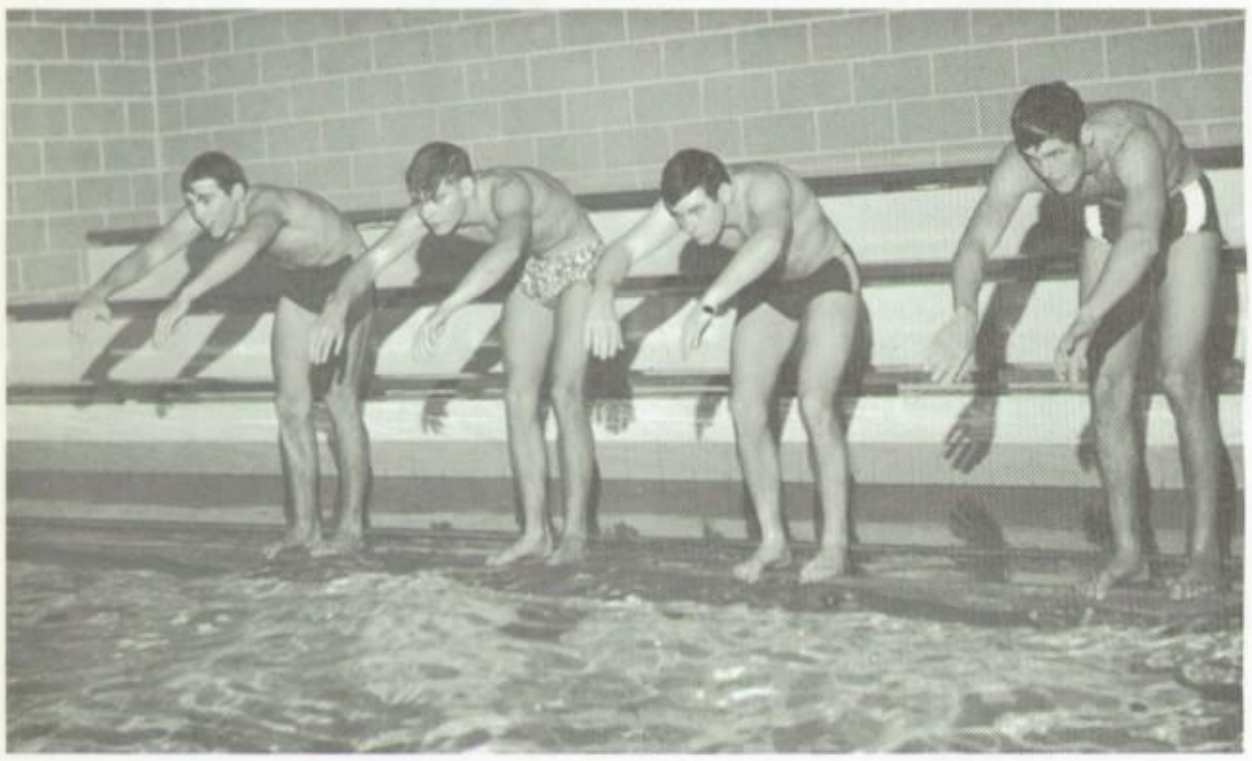
Reading	42	Muhlenberg High School	13
Reading	9	Manheim High School	38
Reading	8	Dieruff High School	41
Reading	26	Pottstown High School	29
Reading	32	Norristown High School	17
Reading	24	Springfield High School	21
Reading	25	Owen J. Roberts High School	23
Reading	29	Garden Spot High School	23
Reading	22	Coatesville High School	22
Reading	38	Wilson High School	8
Reading	27	Schuylkill Valley High School	17
Reading	46	Lebanon High School	6

Won: 8 Lost: 3 Tied: 1



Mr. Jack C. Prutzman, head wrestling coach; Bobby Crawl, co-captain; Francis Coleman, co-captain; Mr. Nelson D. Berlin, assistant wrestling coach

Row 1—Robert Krug, Michael Palm, Scott Beidler, Lee High, Terry Sallade, Donald T. Beaumont, Mark Walters, John Missimer; *Row 2* — Agamemnon Carpousis, Brian Pfleger, David Hallowell, Todd Stump, Kim Epler, Brian Beidler, Jack Tobias, Mr. James A. Carpousis, coach; Absent—Stephan Coleman, Jeffrey Mountz, Barry Miller, Bernard Weiser, Scott Maurer, Douglass Carvell, Nelson Dillman, Clifford Kramer



Three-year veterans on the swimming squad engage in practice before a meet.

Lee High, Michael Palm, Scott Beidler, Robert Krug

Swimming

Coach—Mr. James A. Carpousis

Opposition for the Castle mermen this year consisted of swimming teams from ten Central Penn Conference foes and Coatesville, a non-league opponent. Not included in the schedule were Exeter and Bethlehem Liberty.

Under Mr. James A. Carpousis, the new mentor, members of the swimming team broke six school records. Reading's medley relay team, comprised of Todd Stump, Brian Beidler, David Hallowell, and Robert Krug, posted a time of 1:50.2. Another record time of 3:43 was set by the 400 yard freestyle squad, consisting of Robert Krug, Michael Palm, Todd Stump, and Brian Beidler. Individual records were broken by Lee High, high scorer for the Knights, in the individual medley 200 yards with a 2:16.4, and in the 100 yard butterfly with a 58.6. Scott Beidler posted new times in the 200 yard freestyle and the 400 yard freestyle with a 2.01 and 4:23, respectively. In the diving category, Stephan Coleman set a new school record with a cumulative point total of 228.

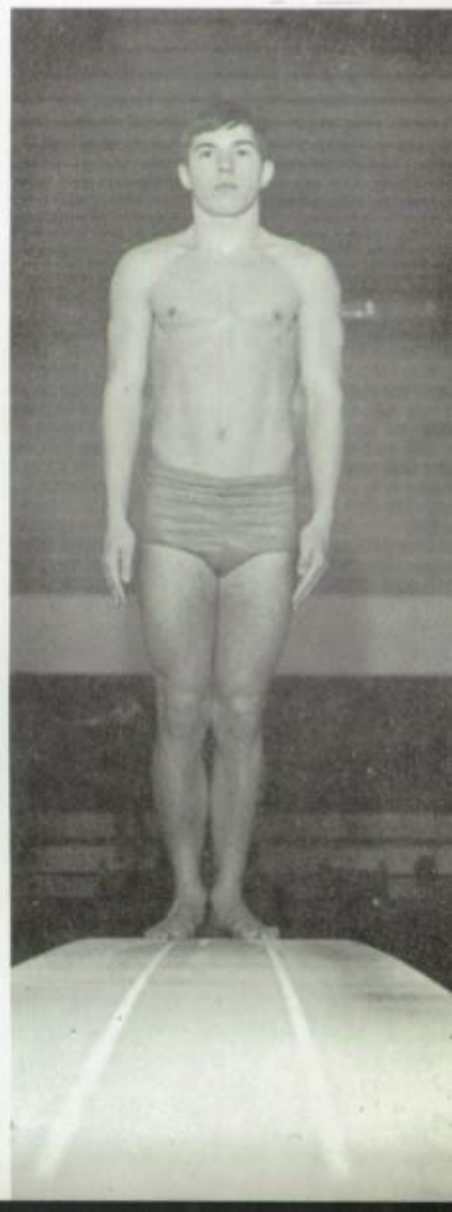
Reading also participated in District # 3 competition, placing third in the freestyle 400 yards and in the 100 yard butterfly, and sixth in the 200 yard individual medley.

Swimming Scores

Reading	60	Coatesville High School	35
*Reading	70	Governor Mifflin High School	25
*Reading	37	Hempfield High School	58
*Reading	39	Lancaster High School	56
*Reading	49	York Suburban High School	46
*Reading	53	Cedar Crest High School	42
*Reading	42	York High School	53
*Reading	36	Manheim High School	59
*Reading	48	Milton Hershey High School	47
*Reading	64	Hershey High School	31
*Reading	40	Wilson High School	55

* Denotes Central Penn Conference League Meets

Won: 6 Lost: 5



Stephen Coleman, another senior, was the only three-year man in the diving category.

Stephan Coleman

Tennis

Coach—Mr. Leon H. Shultz

Castle netmen were scheduled to play squads from fourteen different schools. Of this number, twelve were members of the Lehigh Valley League. Additional opposition was provided by two non-league squads, namely Wilson and Wyomissing.

Veterans of the squad were senior Scott Beidler, and juniors Guido Pichini and William Willis.

Tennis singles consisted of Scott Beidler, Guido Pichini, William Willis, and James Johnson.

Doubles included Guido Pichini and William Willis plus James Johnson and Scott Beidler.

Serving as coach of the Reading High tennis squad for the first time was Mr. Leon H. Shultz. He replaced Mr. Max Missbach who served as mentor for the previous six years.

Row 1—Arthur Kornblit, Mark Shultz, William Clark, Dennis Bowers, *Row 2*—James Johnson, Guido Pichini, Curtis Ritter, Scott Beidler, William Willis, Mr. Leon H. Shultz, coach.

Mr. Leon H. Shultz, the new tennis coach, repares a final report of the day's results.

Senior netmen of the squad consisted of Curtis Ritter and Scott Beidler.

Curtis Ritter, Scott Beidler

Tennis Schedule

Friday, March 28	Wilson High School	Away
*Tuesday, April 1	Phillipsburg High School	Home
*Tuesday, April 8	Dieruff High School	Home
*Tuesday, April 11	Bethlehem Liberty High School	Away
*Tuesday, April 15	Parkland High School	Home
*Friday, April 18	Whitehall High School	Home
*Tuesday, April 22	Emmaus High School	Home
*Friday, April 25	Allen High School	Home
*Tuesday, April 29	Nazareth High School	Home
*Friday, May 2	Easton High School	Away
Monday, May 5	Wyomissing High School	Away
*Thursday, May 8	Wilson Boro High School	Away
*Tuesday, May 13	Bethlehem Freedom High School	Away
*Thursday, May 15	Palmerton High School	Away
*Saturday, May 10	District Singles	
*Saturday, May 17	District Doubles	
*Saturday, May 24	State Tournament	

* Denotes Lehigh Valley League Matches

Row 1—Dave Debiec, Scott Swoyer, Steven Weller, Barry Suski, Harry Faller, James Kemp, Gary Mattiuz; *Row 2*—William Guard, Robert Renninger, Bruce Campbell, Richard Debiec, Terry Van Horn, Walker Wadsworth, David Mattiuz; *Row 3*—Mr. James H. Gano, head coach; James Bolognese, Rick Mattern, Thomas Sweitzer, Robert Rys, Doc Powers, Mr. J. Thomas DeLong, assistant coach; Absent—Mr. Norbert P. Billinger, assistant coach; Mr. Harrison H. Stump, assistant coach; Howard Himmelreich, manager; Stephen Pierce, manager

Senior Infielders

Bruce Campbell, Richard Debiec, Walker Wadsworth

Varsity Baseball

Head Coach—Mr. James H. Gano
Assistant Coaches—
Mr. Norbert P. Billinger
Mr. J. Thomas DeLong
Mr. Harrison H. Stump

Coach James H. Gano who replaced the late Charles Dunkelberger as head mentor of the varsity baseball squad will have the gigantic task of upholding the Castle's fine baseball record. Under Coach Charles Dunkelberger, the Red Knights earned a total of sixteen championship teams including four East Penn crowns in the last five years.

During the season the Knights will play a twenty-game schedule including a home and an away contest with nine East Penn League foes plus a single encounter with Lancaster's McKaskey High School of the Central Penn League, and one with Wilson High School, a non-league county rival.

Potential power hitters include seniors Richard Debiec, Walker Wadsworth, Bruce Campbell and underclassmen Barry Suski and Scott Swoyer.

Defensively, Coach Gano will have a veteran infield consisting of Bruce Campbell at first base, Barry Suski at second, Richard Debiec at shortstop, and Walker Wadsworth at third base.

Steven Weller, a senior, is the leading defensive outfielder, and will play left field with juniors Robert Renninger in center field, and Doc Powers in right field.

All of the members of the pitching staff are juniors. Pitchers David Debiec, James Bolognese, and William Guard will alternate the duties on the mound. Catching for the hurlers will be Scott Swoyer, a junior.

Varsity Baseball Schedule

*Tuesday, March 25	Allentown Allen High School	Away
*Friday, March 28	Easton High School	Away
*Tuesday, April 1	Allentown Central Catholic High School	Home
*Thursday, April 3	Bethlehem Liberty High School	Away
*Tuesday, April 8	Bethlehem Catholic High School	Away
*Friday, April 11	Notre Dame High School	Away
†Saturday, April 12	Lancaster High School	Home
†Tuesday, April 15	Allentown Dieruff High School	Home
†Saturday, April 19	Phillipsburg High School	Away
†Friday, April 25	Allentown Allen High School	Home
*Saturday, April 26	Bethlehem Freedom High School	Hom
*Tuesday, April 29	Easton High School	Hom
*Friday, May 2	Allentown Central Catholic High School	Awa
*Tuesday, May 6	Bethlehem Liberty High School	Hom
*Saturday, May 10	Bethlehem Catholic High School	Hom
*Tuesday, May 13	Notre Dame High School	Hom
†Friday, May 16	Allentown Dieruff High School	Awa
†Saturday, May 17	Phillipsburg High School	Hom
†Wednesday, May 21	Wilson High School	Awa
†Friday, May 23	Bethlehem Freedom High School	Awa

Varsity Baseball

Head Coach—Mr. James H. Gano
Assistant Coaches—Mr. Norbert P. Billinger
Mr. J. Thomas DeLong
Mr. Harrison H. Stump

Groundkeeper
Mr. William Eyrich

Senior Outfielders
Steven Weller, David Mattiuz

Junior Varsity Baseball

Coach—Mr. Harrison H. Stump

Row 1—Scott Wickel, David Geary, Gerald Larish, Jeffrey Taylor, Samuel Gentile, Willie Harvey, Dave Clay; *Row 2* — William Gensinger, James Cinesi, Jeffrey Wade, Mr. Harrison H. Stump, coach; Norman Radies, Anthony Colon, David Stafford; *Row 3* — Ronald Dibenedetto, James Lillis, Albert Shade, Barry Ludwikowski, Michael Howe, Jeffrey Stevenson, Kenneth Stubblebine; Absent — Jeffrey Wade, Richard Sterley, Dominic Palmieri, Roy Zettlemoyer

Junior Varsity Baseball Schedule

Thursday, April 3	
Hamburg High School	Away
Saturday, April 5	
Wilson High School	Home
Tuesday, April 8	
Governor Mifflin High School	Home
Friday, April 11	
Twin Valley High School	Home
Monday, April 14	
Oley High School	Away
Tuesday, April 15	
Mount Penn High School	Away
Friday, April 18	
Governor Mifflin High School	Away
Tuesday, April 22	
Mount Penn High School	Home
Friday, May 2	
Exeter High School	Home
Friday, May 9	
Exeter High School	Away
Friday, May 16	
Muhlenberg High School	Home

†—Independent Schedule

East Penn Track and Field League Champions

This was the first undefeated R.H.S. track and field team since 1948

Row 1—Frankie Davis, Gerry Wertz, Joseph Cupani, Jay Lowman, Rodney Lantz, Kenneth Graves, Ronald Turpin, Vernon Carraway, Jack Gilmore, Ronald Morrison, John Maiale, Drew Stopper; *Row 2* — Clarence Dyanzio, Anthony Cole, Ricardo Bailey, William Hines, James Williams, Jeffrey Gilmore, Leonard Klein, Ronald Olanin, Darryl Simms, Albert Ustazewski, Lee Levan, John Shinkus, Nathan Kuperstock; *Row 3* — Lenny Jenkins, Ted Boykins, Richard Ellison, Kenneth Marcinkowski, Anthony Kehs, Stanley Kubacki, Robert Zoltan, Kenneth Kline, Darryl Blankenbiller; *Row 4* — Larry Jeschke, James Freeman, George Yatron, Kerry Marshall, Michael Strohman, Terrance Lemanek; *Row 5* — Mr. Hobart Geesaman, trainer; Mr. William Buchanan, assistant coach; Mr. Anthony Stopper, head coach; Mr. Gregory Klein, assistant coach

Track

Head Coach—Mr. Anthony P. Stopper
Assistant Coach—
Mr. William Buchanan
Assistant Coach—Mr. Gregory Klein

Outstanding Castle trackmen in the running events included Jack Gilmore in the 100 yard dash, Richard Ellison in the 220 yard dash, and Ronald Morrison in the 440 yard run. Long distance standouts consisted of Alvin Scott in the half-mile, John Maiale in the mile, and Darryl Blankenbiller in the two mile category. Top competitor in the low and high hurdles was Vernon Carraway.

Key athletes in the field events were Ronald Turpin in the discus and shot put, John Shinkus in the javelin, Kenneth Graves in the high jump, and Lenny Jenkins in the pole vault. Foremost jumpers were Jeffrey Gilmore in the running broad jump and Jay Lowman in the triple jump.

Presently, Ronald Turpin is Berks County Champion and Reading High School's record holder for the shot put with a throw of 58′ 7¾″.

For the season, the track men posted a league record of 7-0, and an overall log of 9-0.

Track Schedule

Tuesday, April 8	Governor Mifflin High School	Home
Friday, April 11	Norristown High School	Home
*Thursday, April 17	Phillipsburg High School	Away
Saturday, April 19	Albright Meet	Away
*Tuesday, April 22	Bethlehem Freedom High School	Away
*Thursday, April 24	Easton High School	Home
Saturday, April 26	Penn Relays	Away
*Monday, April 28	Pottsville High School	Away
Tuesday, April 29	Wilson's Stephan Meet	Away
*Thursday, May 1	Allentown Allen High School	Away
*Monday, May 5	Bethlehem Liberty High School	Away
Wednesday, May 7	Boyertown's Venzke Relays	Away
*Thursday, May 8	Allentown Dieruff High School	Home
*Tuesday, May 13	All-League Meet	Away

* Denotes East Penn League Meets

Coach Andy Stopper proudly presents to Mr. Roland P. Kyle, the principal, the first place trophy which the Reading High School trackmen earned at the annual Berks County High School Track Meet at Albright College on Saturday, April 19, 1969.

Mr. Anthony P. Stopper, head coach of the Reading High School track team; Mr. Roland P. Kyle, principal of Reading High School

Bowling

Coach—Mr. Kerry Woodworth

In its first year as a participant in the Berks Bowling League, the Reading High School bowling squad earned championship honors with a record of 37 wins and 5 losses. Muhlenberg, the defending champions, won the title in the previous two years.

During the season, the Castle bowlers played home and away matches with seven other league schools, namely Muhlenberg, Exeter, Governor Mifflin, Wyomissing, Mount Penn, Hamburg, and Wilson High Schools.

Bowling practice and league matches for the Red Knights were held at Heister Lanes.

Top bowlers consisted of Richard Wawrzyniak who earned the second highest average in the league followed by Gregory Eagle, Jay Hollenbacher, and Samuel Pettit who earned third, fourth, and fifth highest league averages, hespectively.

Row 1—Kneeling—Theodore Zmroczek, William Clark, Gregory Eagle, Jay Hollenbacher, Robert McNabb; *Row 2*—Russell Sweigart, Nelson Kase, Richard Wawrzyniak, Quentin Dombro, Samuel Pettit

Bowling Scores

*Reading	3	Wilson High School	0	*Reading	3	Wilson High School	0
*Reading	2	Wyomissing High School	1	*Reading	3	Wyomissing High School	0
*Reading	1	Muhlenberg High School	2	*Reading	2	Muhlenberg High School	1
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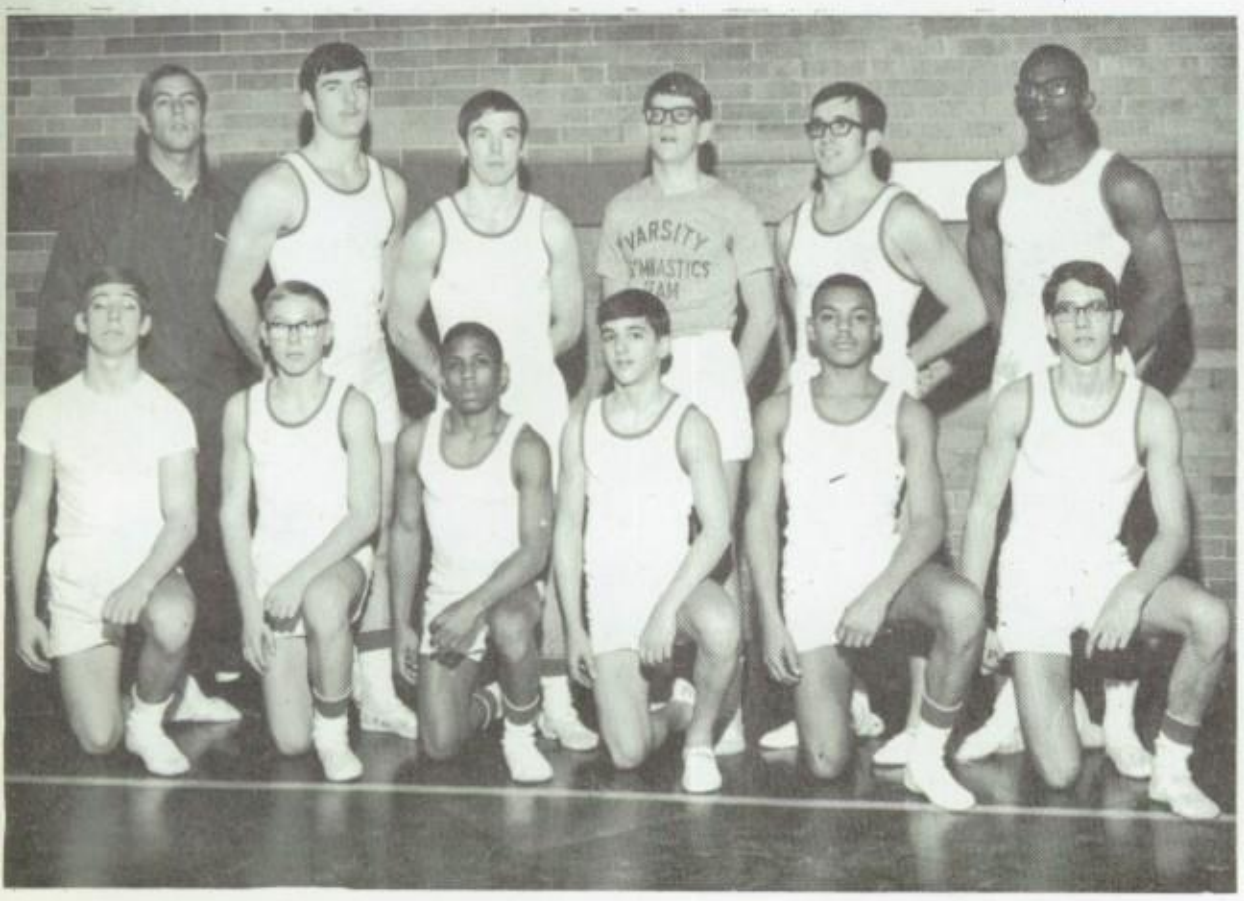
* Denotes Berks Bowling League Matches Won: 37 Lost: 5 Tied: 0



Gymnastics

Coach—Mr. Larry A. Moyer

Team competition for the newly organized gymnastic team consisted of a dual meet with Penn Manor of Millersville and one with Pennsbury of Levittown. In both meets, Reading's team emerged as victors.

Outstanding gymnasts of the team included senior John Weitzel, juniors Lenny Jenkins and Dave Debiec, and sophomores Brian Dawson, Peter Straka, and Frank Davis.

Row 1—Michael Eppenstein, Edward Rakowiecki, Brian Dawson, Randy Snyder, Leonard Jenkins, Kerry Marshall; *Row 2*—Mr. Larry Moyer, coach; Lawrence Jeschke, John Weitzel, Stephan Straka, David Debiec, Frankie Davis; *Absent*—Craig Englehart

Row 1—Gregory Geiger, Sidney Lempiner, Curtis Harper, Todd Stump, Stephan Strunk, Timothy Grant, Jeffrey Palmer, Robert Stevenson, William Martin; *Row 2*—Gregory Eagle, Daniel Eagle, Mark Caltagirone, Allen Ray, William Franks, Randy Slabik, Jeffrey Dalington, Howard Kaufold, Michael Wentzel, Kim Ames, Randy Stevenson, Mr. Carl E. Boltz, coach; *Absent* — Thomas Hudzik

Golf

Coach—Mr. Carl E. Boltz

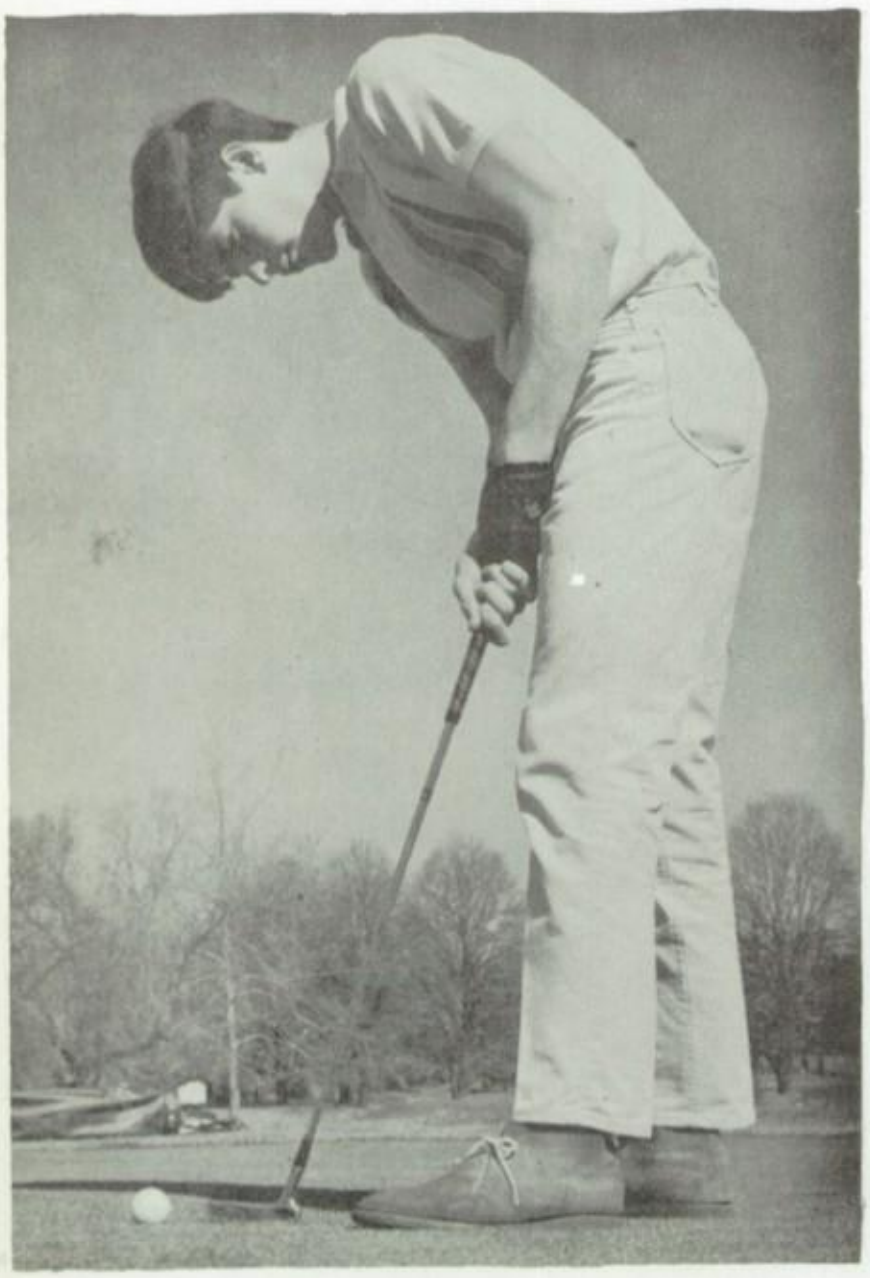
This year marked the largest turnout of golfers in the history of the school.

As in previous years, Coach Carl E. Boltz's golfers met five member teams of the Eastern Section of the Central Penn Conference League twice, one of which was a home match on the grounds of the Berkshire Country Club while the other was an away match. Not included in the schedule this year was Central Dauphin East High School. In its place, Palmyra was named as the new league opponent.

Castle linksmen slated to participate at the Berks County High School Golf Tournament at Galen Hall on May 8, 1969 include Robert Stevenson, Timothy Grant, and Steven Strunk.

Named to represent Reading High at Hershey on May 16, 1969 were Robert Stevenson and Steven Strunk.

Ten players from District #3 competition to be determined on Friday, May 16, 1969 will participate in the State Tournament at University Park on May 23-24, 1969.



Ace golfer Robert Stevenson gets ready for a putting stroke.

Robert Stevenson, senior

Golf Schedule

*Monday, April 7	Hershey High School	Home
*Friday, April 11	Lebanon High School	Away
*Monday, April 14	Wilson High School	Home
*Friday, April 18	Lancaster High School	Away
*Monday, April 21	Palmyra High School	Home
*Friday, April 25	Hershey High School	Away
*Monday, April 28	Lebanon High School	Home
*Friday, May 2	Wilson High School	Away
*Monday, May 5	Lancaster High School	Home
*Friday, May 9	Palmyra High School	Away
Monday, May 12	District Qualifying	
Wednesday, May 14	Championship Playoff	
Friday, May 16	District III Tournament	
Friday, May 23	State Tournament	
Saturday, May 24	State Tournament	

* Denotes Eastern Section of Central Penn Golf Conference Matches

Archery

Stratton Capiotos, William Clark and Brian Pfleger

Intramural Sports

Sponsor—Mr. Harrison H. Stump

Over a period of years, the boys' intramural sports program usually consisted of such athletic activities as touch football, basketball, archery, and gymnastics. With the introduction of a greatly expanded gymnastics program this year, only three of the customary intramural boys sports were offered.

In both the football and basketball leagues, twelve teams took part in the competition.

For the most part, the boys participated in archery to develop skill and techniques rather than play on a tournament action.

Packers

Intramural Football Champions

Row 1 — Larry Jeschke, David Debiec, Norman Radies; *Row 2* — John Weitzel, Steven Weller; *Row 3* — Michael Penakauskas

76 'ers

Intramural Basketball Champions

Row 1—David Stevenson, Greg Correll, Robert Davis; *Row 2* —Jose Osario, Zedric Hamilton, William Willis; *Absent*—Jeffrey Gilmore, Frankie Davis, Jay Loaman, Michael Stroman, Kenneth Perod, Russell Copeland

In addition to his administrative tasks in the athletic program, Mr. Roland P. Kyle helped to provide the means for adequate publicity for the school sports.

Mr. Roland P. Kyle, Principal of Reading High School

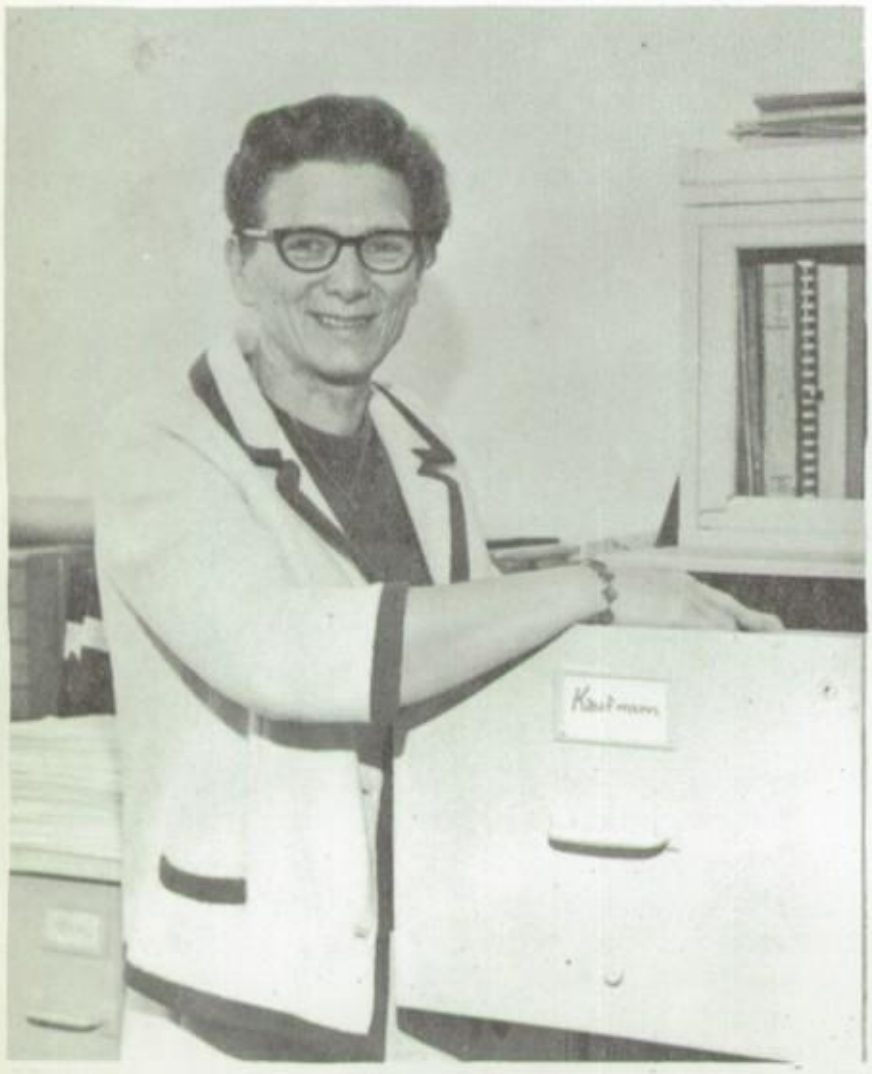
Auxiliary Sports Personnel

Through the combined and respective services of the members of this group, the Castle was able to offer a comprehensive curriculum in physical education, and an extensive extra-curriculum program of three intramural sports for boys, nine intramural sports for girls, and fifteen major and minor interscholastic sports for boys.

Administrative changes this year included the naming of Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann as the Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District. She succeeded Mr. Robert J. Perugini who replaced Mr. Al Como as Director of Athletics for the Reading School District. In this same year, Mr. Al Como was chosen to assume the role of administrative assistant to the superintendent of schools. Custodial appointments consisted of assigning Mr. Samuel Kilyk and Mr. Frank Przestryelski as gym custodians. They filled the positions formerly held by Mr. Henry LaPage and Mr. Irwin Wealand, respectively.

After serving one year as Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District, Mr. Robert J. Perugini was chosen to fill the administrative post of Director of Athletics for the district.

Mr. Robert J. Perugini, Director of Athletics for the Reading School District



This year Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, former Director of Health and Physical Education in the elementary grades, was appointed to the position of Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District.

Miss Katharine E. Kaufmann, Director of Physical Education for the Reading School District

Auxiliary Sports Personnel

As chairman of the physical education department at the Castle, Mr. Harrison H. Stump co-ordinated all aspects of the school physical education program at Reading High School.

Mr. Harrison H. Stump, Chairman of the Physical Education Department of Reading High School

Mr. Hobart Geesaman, serving in his fifth year as R.H.S. athletic trainer, kept Castle athletes in top physical condition.

Mr. Hobart Geesaman, Athletic Trainer of Reading High School

Besides his routine duties as gym custodian, Mr. Frank Przestryelski also took care of the laundry needs in the boys' gym.

Mr. Frank Przestryelski, custodian

In addition to his specific duties in the gym, Mr. Samuel Kilyk, a new member of the custodial staff, provided the necessary maintenance for the school's athletic fields.

Mr. Samuel Kilyk, custodian

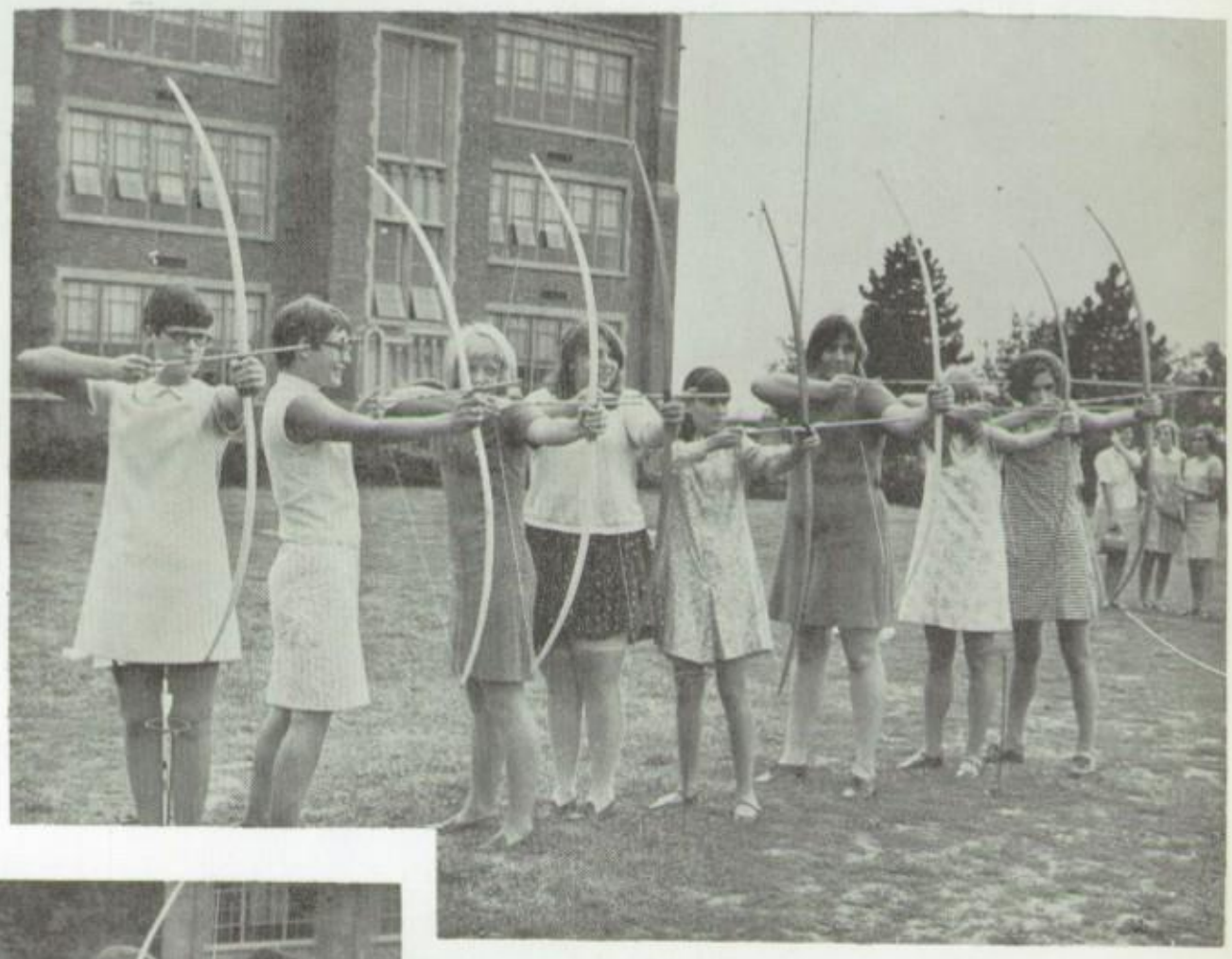
Girls' Sports

Archery

Sponsor—
Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman

This marked the fifteenth consecutive year that archery was included in the girls' intramural sports program. Evidence of the popularity of this first activity was shown through the large turnout of one hundred and thirty-two girls enrolled in the sport.

After the final scores were tallied, the girl with the highest number of points was named "Queen Archer." This year Joan Spencer of the twelfth grade won this honor by scoring two hundred and thirty-four points.



At the beginning of the season, eager archery enthusiasts listened attentively as Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, the sponsor, explained the procedures to be followed during competition.

At box—Kathleen Villforth; *Standing*—Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, sponsor; *Row 1*—Diane Reber, Linda Luckenbill, Susan Torok, Irene Bortz; *Row 2*—Barbara Kohl, Linda Weaver, Maryann Baver, Linny Snyder, Susan Grimes; *Row 3*—Deborah Cauff, Rebecca Barner, Joanne Faust, Nancy Ettaro, Lynn Hummel

Because of the great number of participants, the girls were limited to shooting eight arrows per session in determining daily scores.

Row 1—Jacqueline Huber, Sandra Wollyung, Deborah Hassler, Jacqueline Bensing, Donna Portner, Gloria Klindienst, Deborah McDonald, Patricia Kraras; *Spectators*—Nancy Ettaro, Susan Torok, Lynn Hummel

Occasionally, the unbelievable happens . . . four bulls' eyes!!!

Connie Cox, Rebecca Weitzel, Karen Birnstock, Irene Bortz

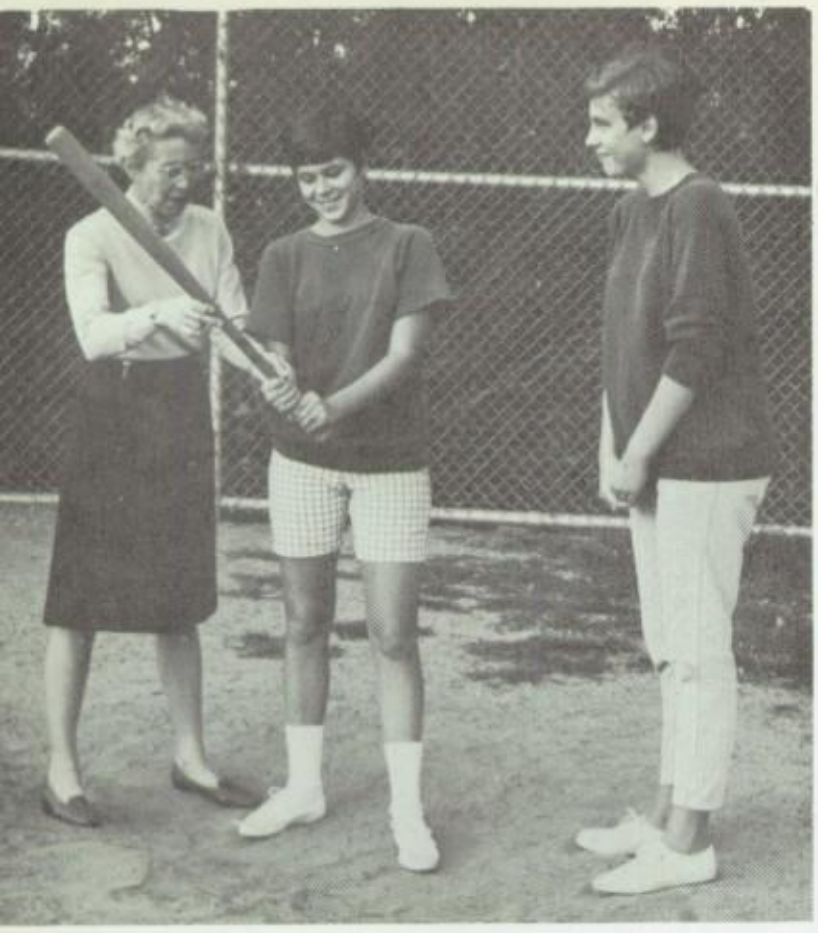
Softball

Sponsor—Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman

With a turnout of seventy-two girls, five softball teams were formed, namely the Tini-Boppers, the Vikings, the Sluggers, the Box Tops and the Fire Balls.

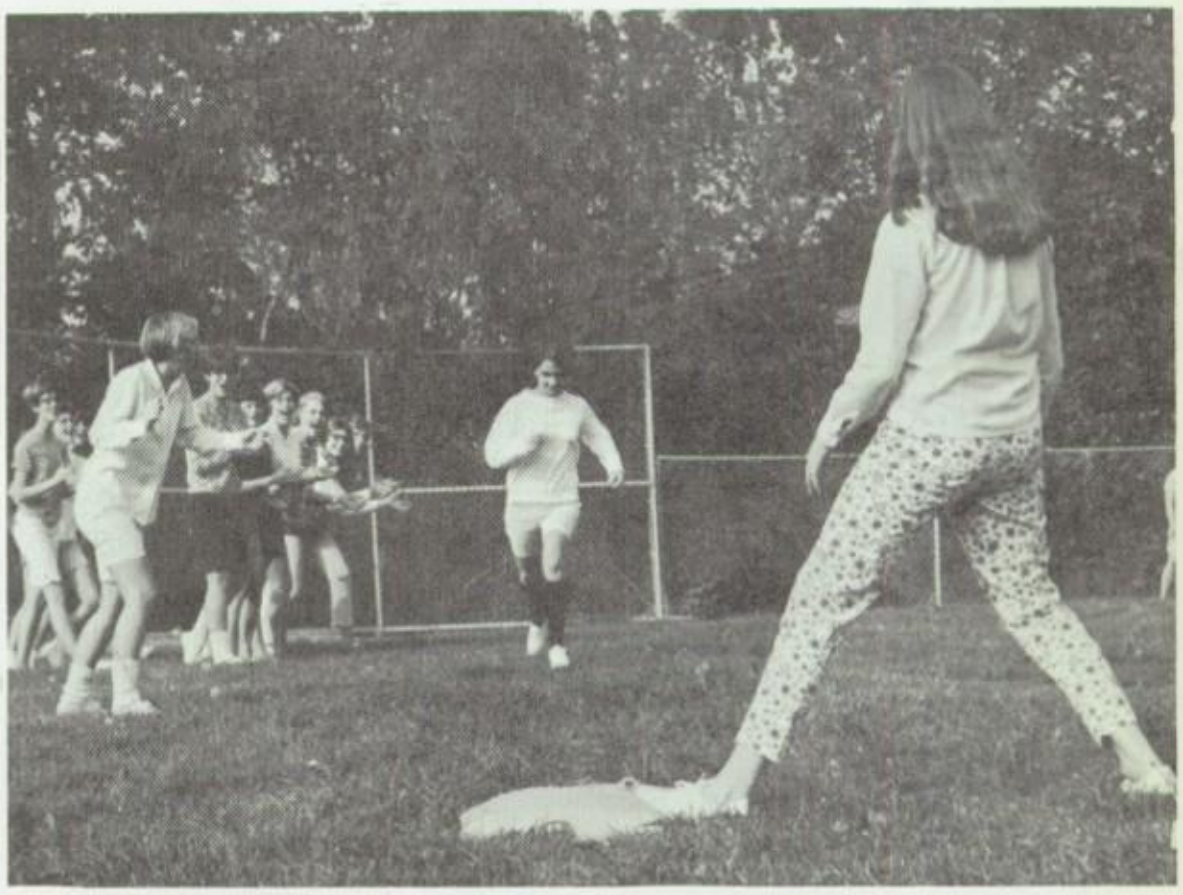
Games were scheduled for every Monday and Wednesday during the month of October. During the competition, two games were played simultaneously on the two baseball diamonds in front of the gymnasium.

At the end of the season, the Sluggers won championship honors with a record of three wins and one loss.



Through special instruction given by Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, the girls were able to improve their batting averages.

Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman, sponsor; Marcia Hare, Kathleen Miller



During many of the games, base runners usually got plenty of vocal support from the sidelines.

Spectators—(rear)—Linda Stephenson, Linda Luckenbill, Barbara Kohl; *Spectators — (foreground)* — Susan Torok, Dianne Kunkelman, Linny Snyder, Maryann Baver, Donna Moyer, Judith Reed, Kathleen Miller; *Runner*—Rena Lehr; *At base*—Leslie Fantilli

This one should be a hit!

Barbara Kohl

Three student officials help the statistician keep the individual records accurate.

Kathie Tutlane, Jane Adams, Sherlene Evans, statistician; Sandra Witman

Soccer

Sponsor—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman

For the fourth successive year, soccer was one of the intramural after-school sports sponsored by the Girls' Athletic Association. Originally, this sport replaced hockey in the fall sports program.

Games were played every Monday and Wednesday during the months of October and November.

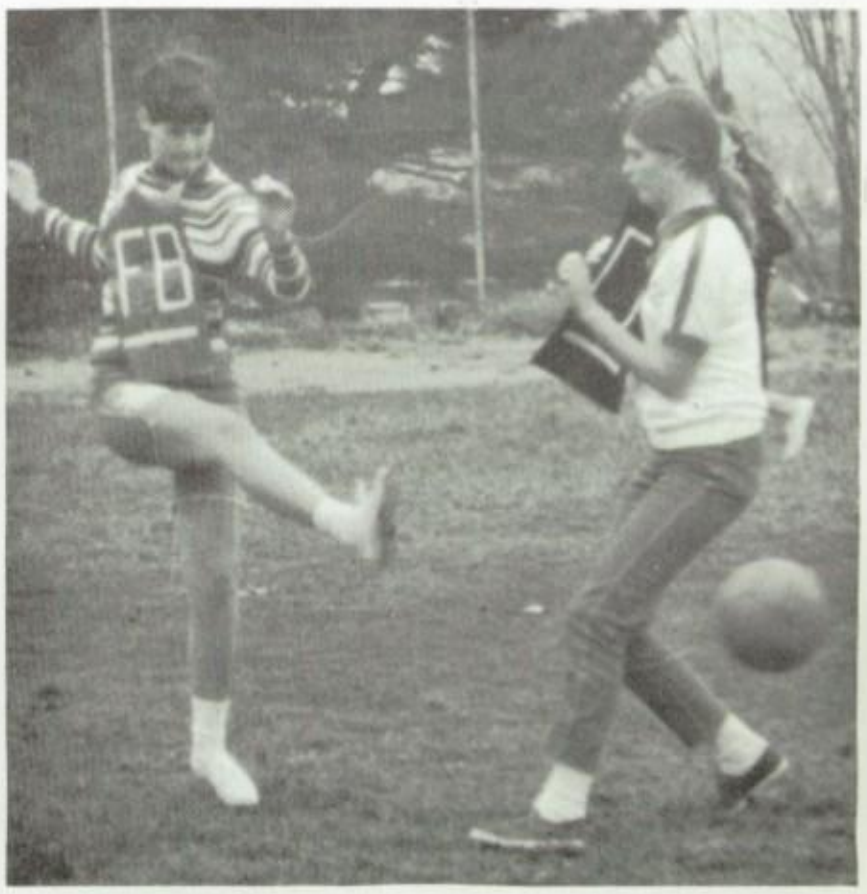
From a turnout of eighty-two participants, six teams were formed, namely the Soccerettes, the Association, the Vikings, the Sockettes, the Mini-Skirts and the Tini-Boppers.

With a record of three wins and one loss, the Mini-Skirts copped championship honors.

After a busy day of studies, the Castle ladies looked forward to action-packed games of soccer.
Foreground—Sandra Witman, Jane Adams, Betty Oplinger, Cheryl Motyl, Kathy Tutlane, Sherlene Evans; *Rear*—Debra Foster, Anne Wildermuth, Patricia Witmyer, Karen Altenderfer.

Throughout the season, the girls fought hard to outwit their opponents.
Joan Spencer, Cheryl Motyl, Susan Grimes, Jane Adams

Many times players used the unique fashion of heading the ball.
Diane Reber



Unexpected gyrations of the participants often provided humorous moments for the spectators.
Jacqueline Huber, Leslie Fantilli

Volleyball

Sponsor—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman

As usual, there was a large turnout for this popular sport. From a registration of seventy girls, seven teams were formed. Groups participating in the action were the Tini-Boppers, the Dunkin' Donuts, the Boola Balls, the Mini-Skirts, the Spikers, the Falcons, and the Broadway Joe's.

Regular games took place every Monday and Wednesday from the middle of February to the middle of March.

Competition was keen, but the Spikers managed to win championship laurels by winning twelve out of the fourteen games played.

Throughout the season, eager Castle ladies dashed to the gym floor to engage in fast-moving games of volleyball.

Amonda Stoudt, Phyllis Sanders, Donna Lawley, Gail Roberts

Clever maneuvering by the servers often baffled the opponents.

Esther Sullivan

During the contests, energetic participants fought hard to outwit each other.

Deborah Hassler, Susan Orrs, Daneice Luckenbill

Two sophomore bowling enthusiasts learn the basic fundamentals about the sport from Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, the sponsor.

Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, sponsor; Paula Hill, Debra Foster

Bowling

Sponsor—Mrs. Rita P. Burkey

For the third consecutive year, the girls' intramural bowling sessions were held at the Park Bowling Center at 1016 Penn Street, Reading, Pennsylvania.

With an enrollment of seventy-one girls, the turnout was much greater than last year.

Individual competition took place on the twelve lanes every Thursday after school during the months of September, October, and November.

By earning the highest average, Donna Fisher of grade eleven won championship honors for the season.

As always, the Castle ladies expressed great glee after making a strike.

Bowler — Sandra Wollyung; *Spectators* — Sherry Lutz, Jacqueline Bensing

Mrs. Doris Delp, assistant manager and instructor of the bowling site, reveals the day's results to two of the bowlers at refreshment time.

Mrs. Doris Delp, instructor and assistant manager; Marjorie Kangas, Nancy Snyder

Basketball

Sponsor—Mrs. Rita P. Burkey

From a group of seventy-nine basketball enthusiasts, seven teams were formed namely, the Boola Balls, the Tini-Boppers, the Globetrotterettes, the Broadway Joe's, the Falcons, the Mod Squad, and the Vikings.

With a record of six wins and no losses, the Globetrotterettes won the championship honors for the 1968-69 school year.

From the beginning of each game to the end, the girls displayed a keen, competitive spirit.

Sharon Hohl, Laurie Moyer, referee; Joan Spencer, Linda Smith, Debra Boyer

Often the dribblers maneuvered into position before attempting a two-point tally.

Foreground—Debra Boyer, Sharon Hohl, Patricia Kraras

As in many games, a foul shot could be the deciding factor in winning or losing.

Sandra Wollyung, referee; Rena Lehr, Linny Snyder

After the action-packed contests, the girls usually got refreshing cold drinks at the water fountain.

Joan Spencer, Debra Boyer, Vida Millek

Table Tennis

Sponsor—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman

Participants in this sport were divided into two categories, namely the advanced and the beginners groups. For the more experienced players, tournaments were held in the girls' gym while the beginners practiced on the second floor in front of the girls' locker room.

Because of the large turnout and the limited playing time of three weeks, no final playoffs were held.

Tie for first place in grade ten were Patricia Witmyer and Deborah Hassler. In grade eleven, Esther Sullivan was the champion. Diane Reber and Marcia Hare shared title laurels in grade twelve.

During the season, the girls experienced many thrilling moments of keen competition.

Leslie Fantilli, player; Jacqueline Huber, spectator; Rebecca Wahl, scorekeeper; Judith Reed, player

After each session, the girls checked with the scorekeeper for their individual standings.

Bonnie Klinger, Deborah Cauff, Phyllis Rozanski, scorekeeper; Dianne Kunkelman, Connie Cox, Joanne Faust

Badminton

Sponsor—Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman

First of the two spring sports offered for girls at Reading High School was badminton. This was the last of the indoor sports for the school year.

Competition was held for two weeks in March. Games were played from Monday through Thursday inclusively in both the girls' and the boys' gymnasiums to accommodate the turnout of thirty-three girls.

Champion doubles for the two ladders were Marcia Hare and Deborah Hassler in the boys' gym, and Lorraine Frantz and Pamela Miller in the girls' gym.

Ramona Turner gets ready to serve the shuttlecock in one of the exciting contests.

Ramona Turner

Before reporting to the tennis courts, one of the participants gets the necessary equipment from Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, the sponsor.

Sherry Lutz, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, sponsor

Tennis

Sponsor—Mrs. Rita P. Burkey

Traditionally, the last intramural sport sponsored by the Girls' Athletic Association each year is tennis.

On April 16, 1969, fifty-four girls registered for this sport. Competition was divided into two sections, the beginners division and the tournament division.

Sessions were held twice a week, namely on Mondays and Wednesdays during the months of April and May.

Matches and practices took place on the courts directly in front of the girls' athletic field and on the Hampden Park courts.

Nancy Reinhart begins another game of action with an overhand serve.

Nancy Reinhart

At the end of each school day the tennis enthusiasts eagerly looked forward to another session of exciting tennis matches.

Row 1—Nancy Ettaro, Nancy Reinhart, Linda Luckenbill. *Row 2*—Barbara Kohl, Kathleen Diem, Marcia Hare

Advanced Physical Education

Sponsor—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman

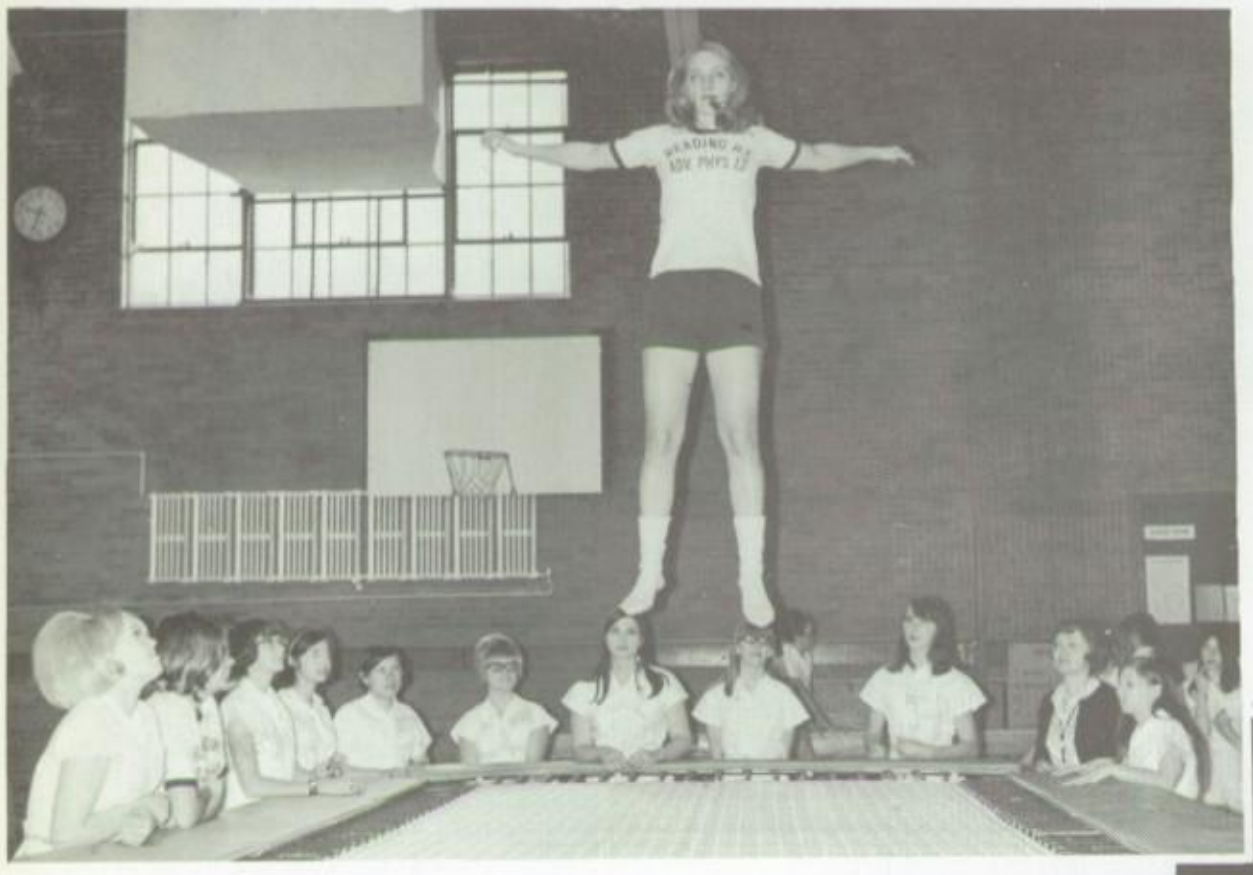
This six-period per week elective was offered to senior girls who were interested in gaining valuable training and experience for future careers in physical education or its related fields.

Each Monday during the first period, the trainees were given basic. instruction in theory. To enable the girls to get practical experience, they served as assistants to the gym teachers for five periods. For two periods, they took part in their regular gym classes.

Highlighting the activities of this group were the active parts the members took as registrars and officials for the junior high play day.

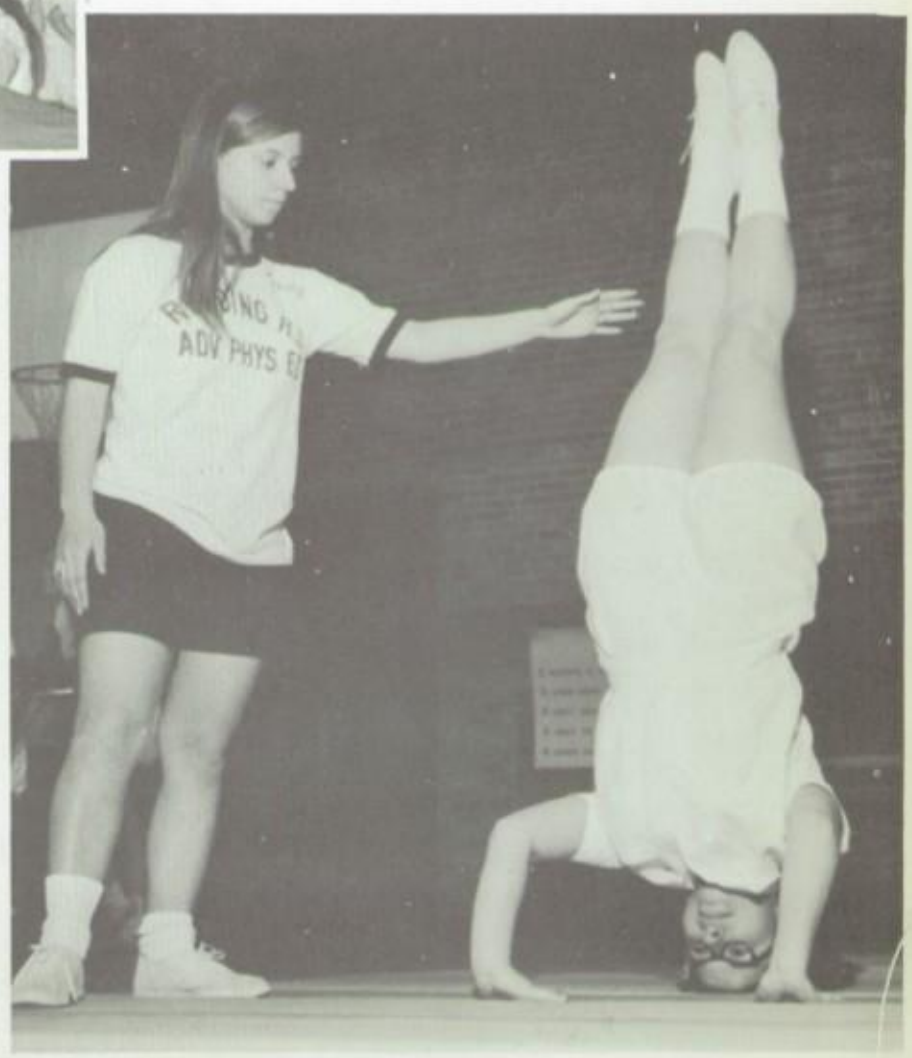
Girls of the advanced physical education class proudly display their newly-acquired uniforms.

Kathleen Becker, Dale Coller, Brenda Taylor, Deborah Neff, Donna Schropp, Diane Reber, Judith Wilson, Cynthia Ulmer, Linda Dillingham, Linda Houck, Vida Millek, Deborah Brown, Mrs. Janet B. Gorman, sponsor; *Absent*—Marie Focht



Before students of the physical education classes participated in exercises or on gym apparatus, the student leaders always gave a series of demonstrations.

On trampoline—Vida Millek; *Around trampoline*—Esther Sullivan, Judith Wilson, Bonnie Bonsall, Cynthia Guss, Linda Siegfried, Deborah Jamison, Lorrie Meleon, Susan Snyder, Sandra E. Shenk, Mrs. Rita P. Burkey, gym instructor; Deborah Brown



As needed throughout the year, the gym trainees gave individualized instruction and assistance to the Castle ladies.

Deborah Brown, gym trainee; Maria Angelisanti

Girls' Gymnastic Group

Sponsor—Mrs. Janet B. Gorman

This year the girls' gymnastic group of Reading High School entered the Fourth Annual Berks County School-Age Gymnastic Championships which took place on March 29, 1969 at the Holy Name High School gymnasium.

Competition was in tumbling, vaulting, free floor, plus various routines on the trampoline, the balance beam, and the parallel bars.

In the final standing, Mt. Penn placed first with eighteen points. Reading earned second position with seventeen points.

At the county contests which were held at the Holy Name High School, Cynthia Ulmer won second place awards in the free floor and balance beam competition.

Cynthia Ulmer

In the same county gathering, Anne Wildermuth won first place honors in tumbling and on the trampoline.

Anne Wildermuth

Junior High Play Day

Sponsors—Mr. Rita P. Burkey
Mrs. Janet B. Gorman
Mrs. Elizabeth N. Ruhrman

On Friday, April 18, 1969, the Girls' Athletic Association sponsored a spring play day. Girls from Reading High School and the four junior high schools, namely, Northeast, Northwest, Southern, and Southwest, were invited to participate in the afternoon of fun.

Members of the advanced physical education class and the gym instructors planned the program. Activities for the afternoon included relays, volleyball, and baseball.

During the social period at the end of the program, milk and doughnuts were served as refreshments.

After registration, the junior high visitors were assigned to various teams.

Maureen Butcher, Jennifer Burford, Yolanda Towles, Linda Dillingham, gym trainee; Judith Wilson, gym trainee

Royalty at R.H.S.

Our Queen

Jill Stump
Y-Teens
1968 Activity Queen
and
Miss Congeniality

Joy Schuler
Hi-Y
First Runner-Up

Royalty at R.H.S.

Her Majesty's Court

Peggy Davis
Future Scientists of America

Rachel Bartlett
Fellowship Club

Kathleen McKechnie
Future Nurses of America

Sheridan Wise
Future Business Leaders of America

Judith Delp
Castle Court Jesters

Jeanne Nodzak
Girls' Athletic Association

Marie Christine Alexander
Debating Club

Judy Jaworski
Serve Our School

Ellen Gifford
Future Teachers of America

Sharon Gertney
Civic Pride Club

Sharon Harms
United Nations Club

Karen Smith
Marching Band

Salley Matthews
Future Physicians of America

Vicky Casper
French Club

Senior Mardi Gras

As its special activity, the senior class chose a carnival patterned after the famous New Orleans Mardi Gras. Throughout the evening, students wandered from one entertainment area to another to enjoy the variety of pleasurable activities.

Instead of the usual formal attire for this occasion on November 9, 1968, the seniors wore a variety of informal apparel for an evening of fun and games.

Believe it or not . . . it's magic!

Have sponge . . . will travel!

Now, Mr. Barrett . . . it's your turn!

Mr. Bossler . . . it can't be true?

Senior Mardi Gras

You're fortunate . . . it's a McIntyre original!

Okay, Herman . . . here's your big chance!

Mmmmm . . . they're spicy specimens of Mardi Gras gourmets!

. . . And the Motiques said . . . "Let there be music!"

CASTLE QUIPS

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Juniors at R.H.S.

Class of 1970

Near the end of the school term, the junior class began to make preparations for the senior year by engaging in such senior activities as determining the cost of class dues, selecting the official class photographer, and forming class committees. Matters pertaining to the class play, class day, class prom, and other senior events will be discussed and carried out in the forthcoming school year.

Highlighting the projects of the class the past school term was the sponsorship of the "Experience '70" Dance which was held March 14, 1969.

Sponsors of the "Class of 1970" examine a list of activities prepared for the ensuing school year.

Miss Gloria L. Rodgers, assistant sponsor; Mr. James C. Wardrop, head sponsor; Mr. Daniel Tucci, assistant sponsor; Miss Patricia C. Sands, financial sponsor

Officers of the junior class discuss financial details pertaining to the class dance.

Sherry Wenrich, treasurer; Jeffrey Darlington, president; Marcia Moore, secretary; Grace Long, vice-president

Four talented eleventh grade musicians rom the Castle were elected to participate n the Eastern District P.M.E.A. Orchestra Festival at the Catasauqua Area High School, Catasauqua, Pennsylvania, on February 6, 7, and 8, 1969.

za Kampe, cello; Deborah Rahn, cello; JoAnne ernhart, violin; *Absent*—Ellen Briskin, French orn

Approximately three hundred and fifty Castle students attended the "swinging" dance sponsored by the Class of 1970.

Sophomores at R.H.S.

R.H.S. Class of 1971

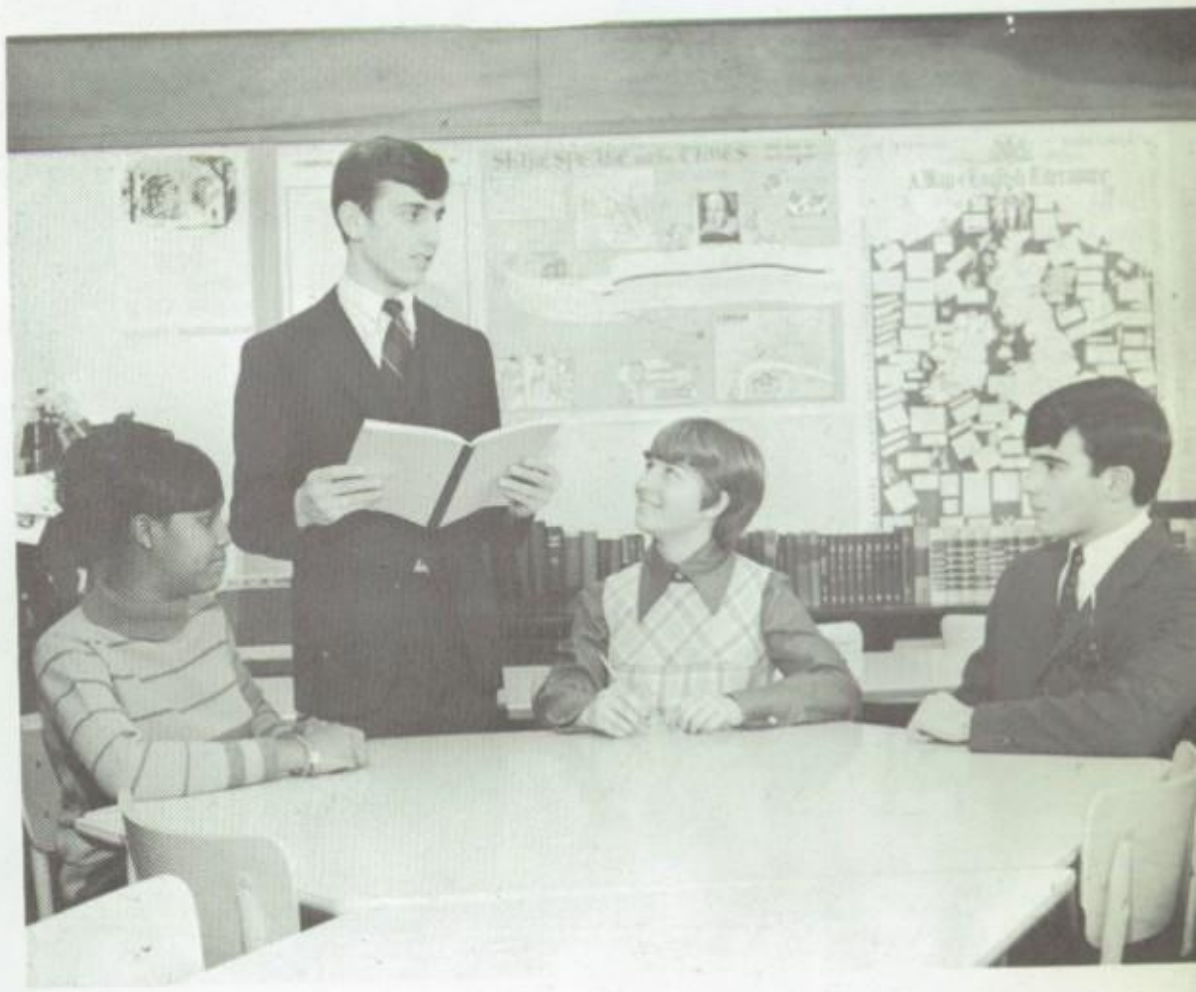
Enrollment of the sophomore class including the tenth grade students of the Northwest and Southwest junior high schools totaled over one thousand students.

Originally, it was scheduled that beginning with the 1969-1970 school term the total sophomore class would attend the Castle. During the past school year, it was decided to postpone this action until a later date.

'Soph It to Me," the dance sponsored by the "Class of 1971" was held on April 25, 1969 in the Reading High School gymnasium. Crepe decorations for the evening were in various shades instead of the usual class or school colors.

During the year, the class sponsors met frequently to confer on matters concerning group projects for the "Class of 1971."

Mr. Jeffrey E. Gattone, assistant sponsor; Mrs. Roumal Chisholm, financial sponsor; Mrs. Josephine H. Snyder, assistant sponsor; Mr. James H. Adams, sponsor



Newly-elected tenth grade class officers meet for the first time to discuss future plans for their class.

Brenda Price, vice-president; Howard Kaufold, president; Debra Foster, secretary; Michael Palladino, treasurer

Members of the tenth grade student council review a timely topic to be presented at a council meeting.

Scott Mauer, tenth grade representative; Debra Foster, secretary of the "Class of 1971"; Frankie Davis, tenth grade representative; Howard Kaufold, president of the "Class of 1971"

Sophomores at Northwest

R.H.S. Class of 1971

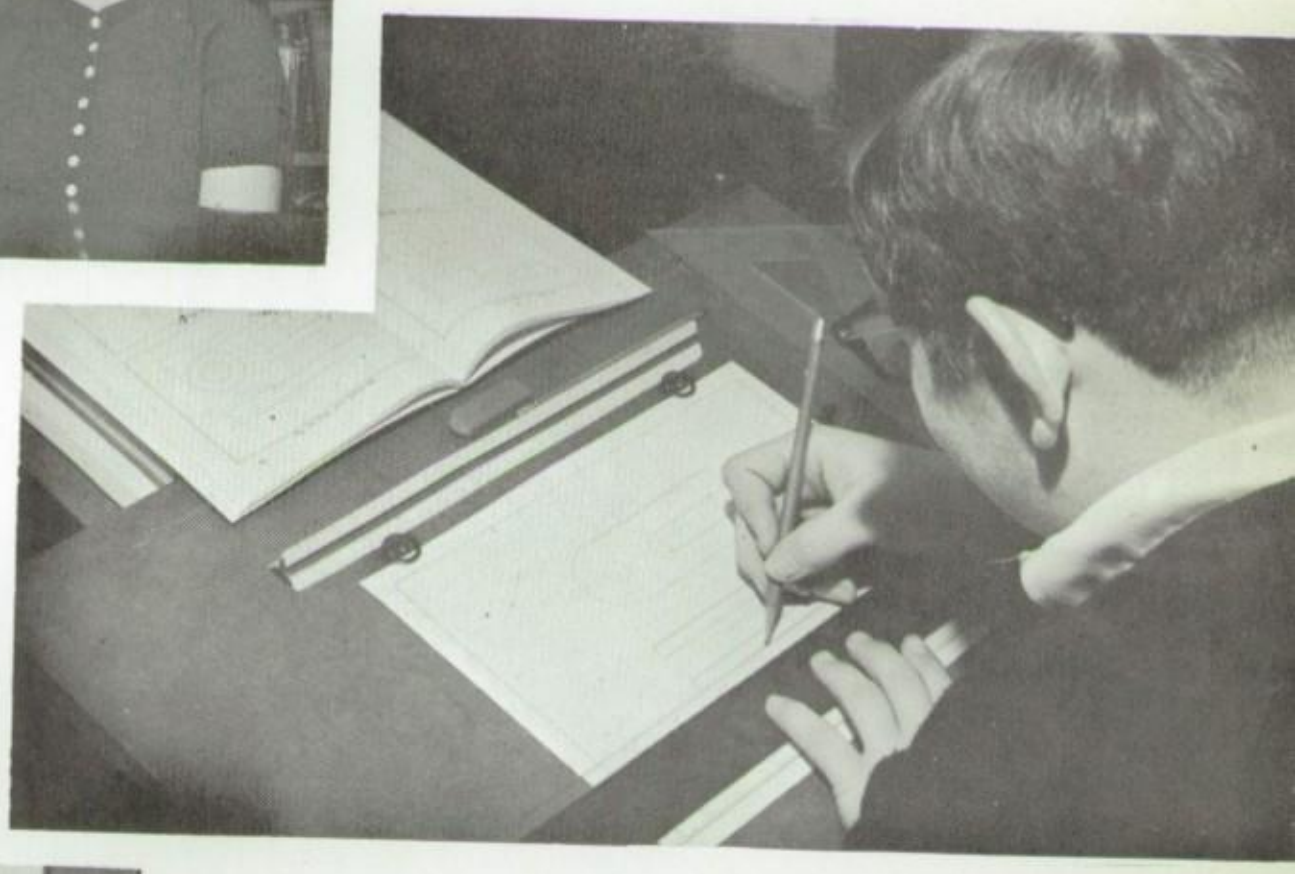
School Motto: Outward Bound
School Flower: Pansy
School Colors: Blue and White

These capable sponsors efficiently supervised the projects of the sophomore class.

Mr. Earl S. Collins, sponsor; Mrs. Bernita F. Fridinger, sponsor

Officers of the sophomore class at Northwest discuss details of the proposed class trip.

Seated—David Rau, president; Luana Kowal, vice-president; *Standing*—Dixie Troutman, secretary; Joann Walborn, treasurer



Mechanical drawing as well as the electric, wood, print and metal shops, were offered in the industrial arts curriculum at Northwest.

Thomas Pinkasavage

One of the major phases of the English program at Northwest is to give students numerous opportunities to do creative writing in the composition work.

Mr. John A. Reedy, English instructor

Sophomores at Southwest

R.H.S. Class of 1971

School Motto: We do our best to honor Southwest

School Flower: Carnation

School Colors: Red and White

Throughout the year, the class officers worked diligently to make the final year at Southwest a rewarding one for their classmates.

Joseph Quaglia, president; Cheryl Seiders, vice president; Linda Fuoti, secretary-treasurer

One of the important phases in the clothing course in the home economics curriculum was to give the girls opportunities to plan and make their own clothing.

Valerie Esterly, Josephine Orischak, Mrs. Winifred Albitz, home economics instructor

Through a variety of individual and group projects, boys in the industrial arts program acquired special techniques and skills.

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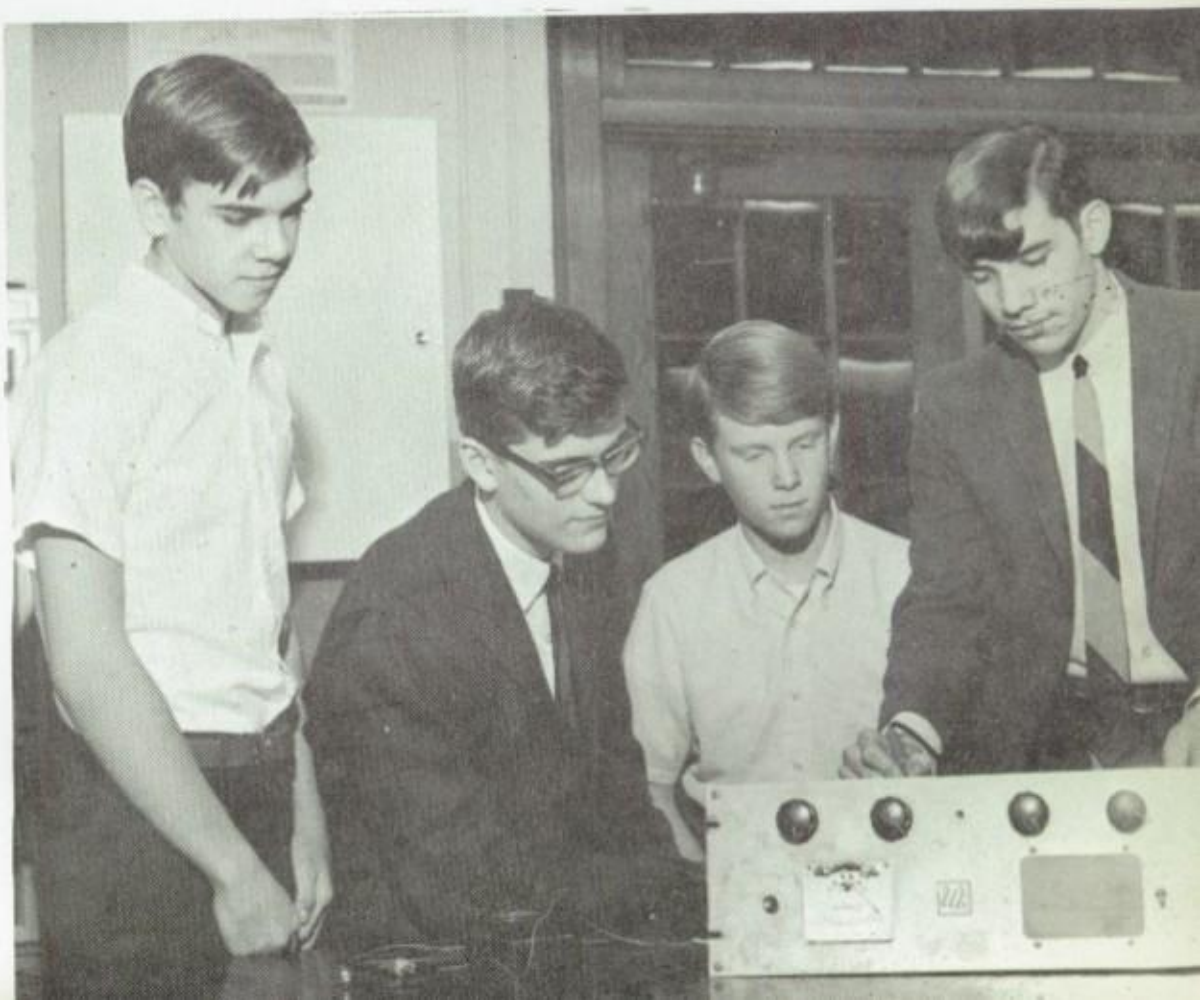

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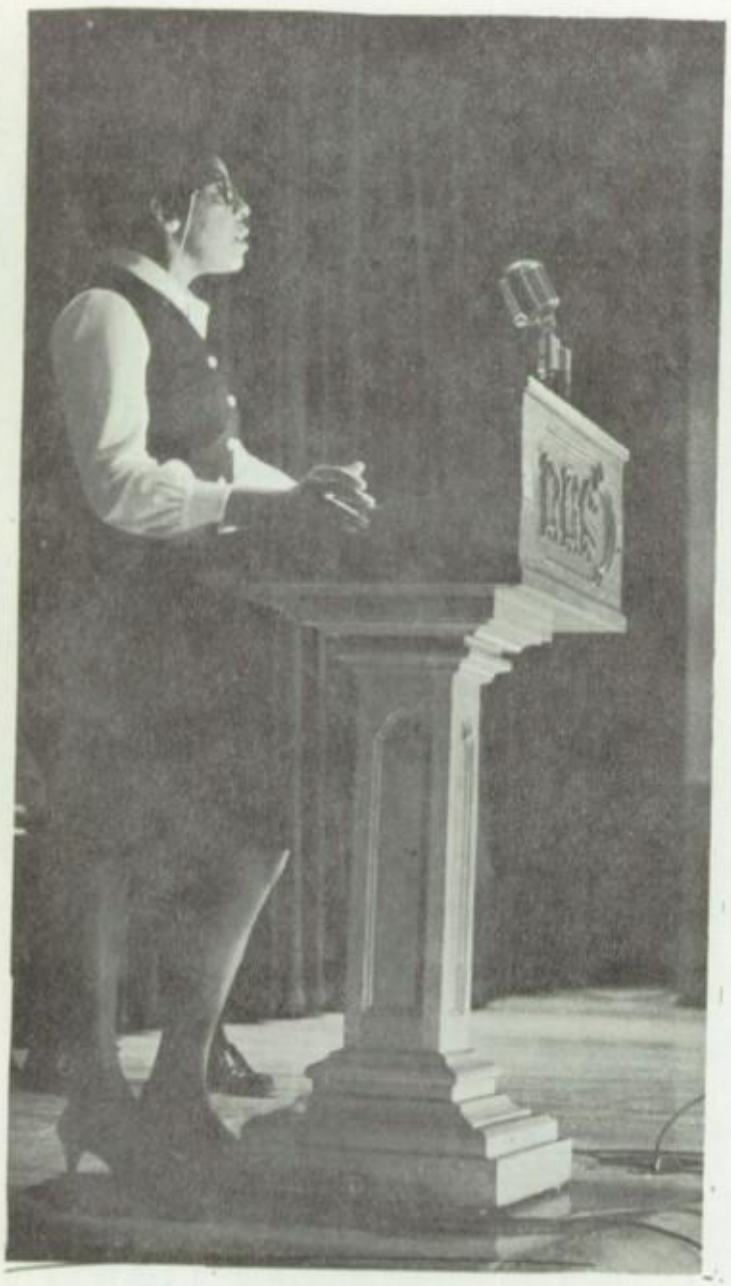
Assembly Flashes



Mrs. Pattee Miller, Director of Children's Activities at Fellowship House, was the featured speaker in a school assembly on Tuesday, February 11, 1969 of Negro History Week.

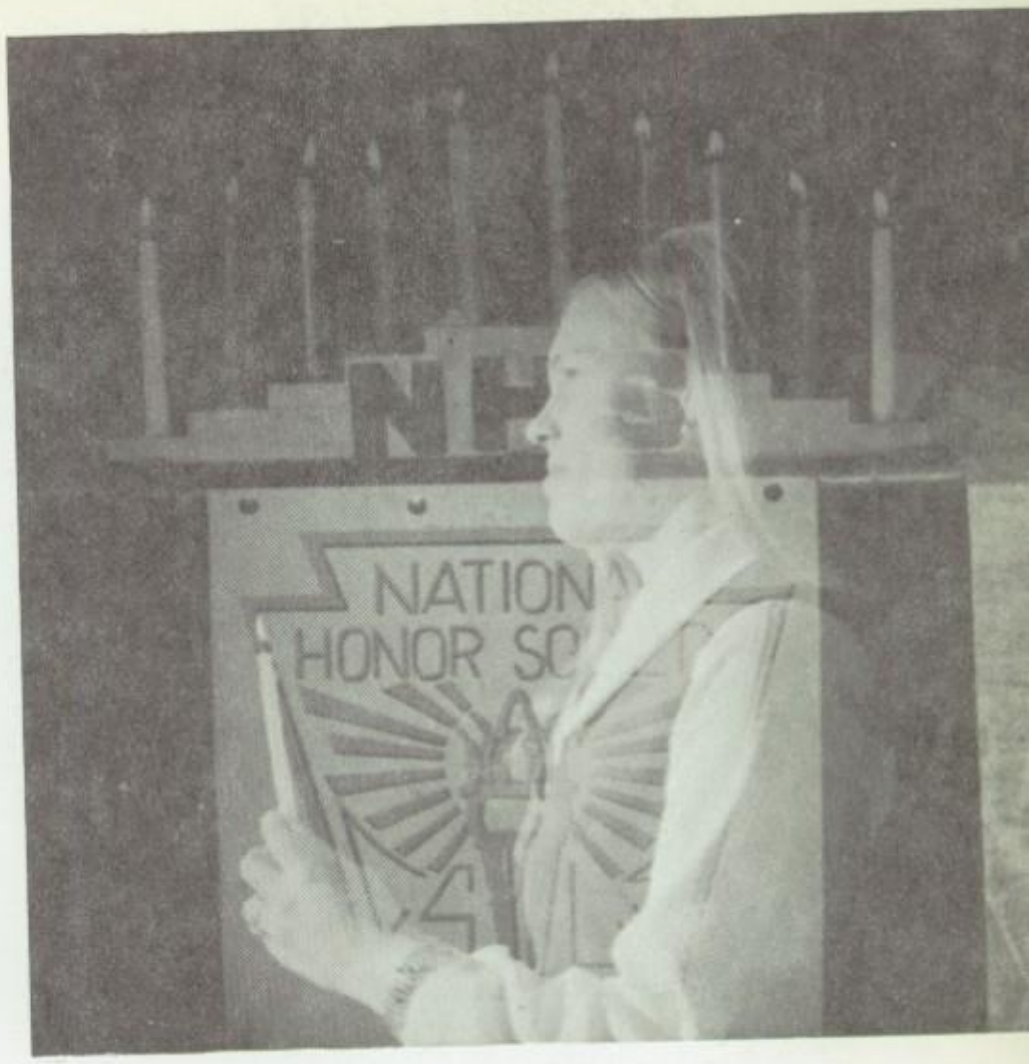
Coronation ceremonies for Jill Stump, the Castle's fourteenth Activity Queen, took place during a special assembly on October 8, 1968.

In the Christmas Assembly of December 17, 1968, the xed Chorus was one of the four choral groups who perrmed in the program.

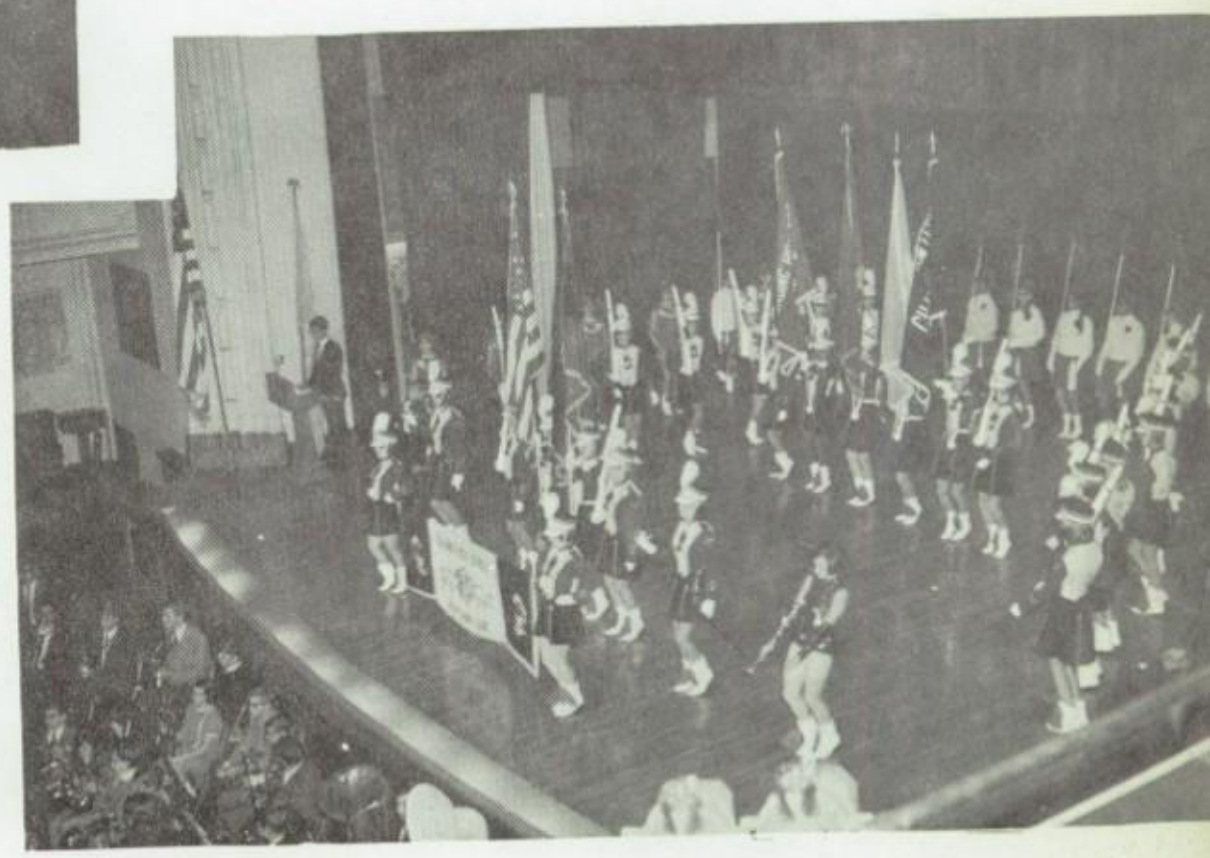
Highlighting the activities of the athletic assembly held January 14, 1969, was the distribution of varsity letters and certificates to outstanding Castle athletes in the fall sports.

Assembly Flashes

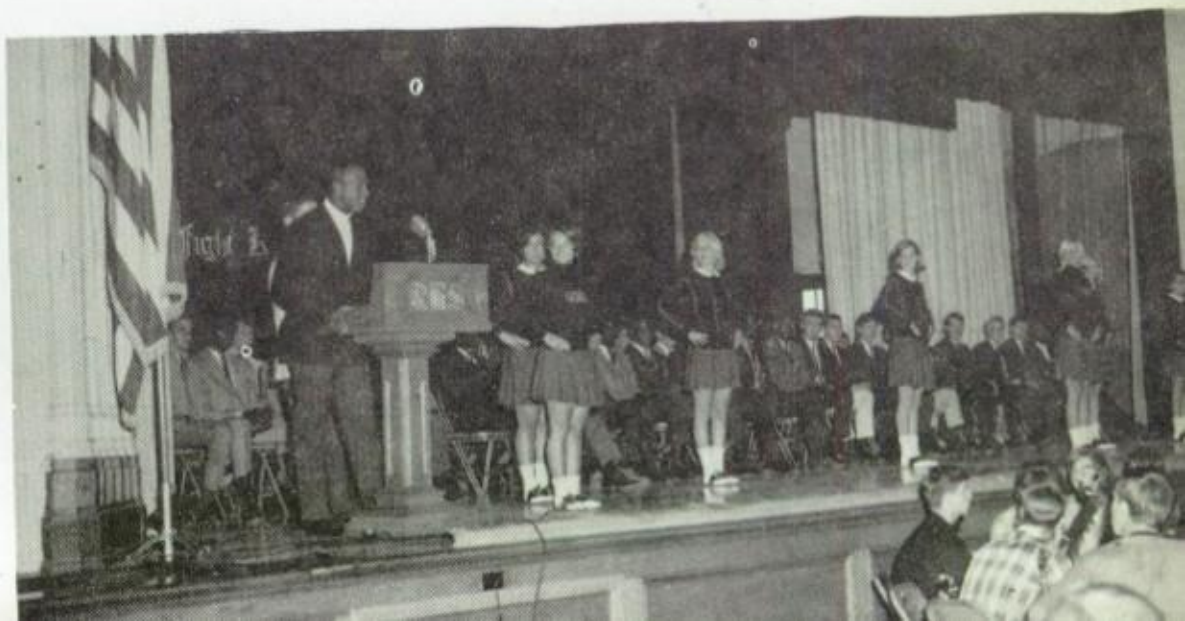
Mr. Anthony J. Carabello, former teacher at R.H.S. and presently a member of city council in the City of Reading, was the guest speaker for the student council induction held in the auditorium on February 18, 1969.



During a solemn ceremony on March 11, 1969, one hundred and ten senior students were inducted into the National Honor Society.



Reading High School's award-winning Marching Band and Auxiliary Units displayed their fine talents in the December 3, 1968, assembly.



Throughout the football season, pep assemblies were held before every home game to stimulate school spirit.

Self-Evaluation Committees

Administrative

Reading Senior High School

To remain on the accredited list of high schools in the Middle States Atlantic Association, a member school must be evaluated by the organization every ten years.

Before the visiting committee takes steps toward evaluating Reading Senior High School, professional personnel within the school must go through a series of comprehensive self-evaluation procedures.

Reading High School is scheduled to be evaluated again for accreditation by the association on December 9, 10, and 11, 1969.

Steering Committee

Seated—Mrs. Louise E. Dreisbach, Head of the Foreign Language Department; Mr. Roland P. Kyle, Principal of Reading Senior High School; Mrs. Jess Cwikinski, Social Studies Teacher; *Standing*—Mr. William H. Clouser, Vice Principal of Reading Senior High School; Mr. William C. Horine, Vice Principal of Reading Senior High School; Mr. Joseph E. Haage, Head of the Guidance Department

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eated—Mr. Clinton D. Getz, Chairman of ne Pupil Activity Program; Miss Mary apallo, Chairman of the School and Comunity Committee; Mrs. Ruth Heist, Chairan of the Health Services Committee; Irs. Hannah M. Orr, Chairman of the Hositality Committee; Mr. William S. Whitey, Chairman of the School Staff and Adinistration Committee; *Standing* — Mr. ames Wardrop, Co-Chairman of the Philoophy and Objectives Committee; Mr. ames T. Reedy, Co-Chairman of the Philoophy and Objectives Committee; Mr. O. ames Davis, Chairman of the Program of tudies Committee; Mr. Joseph G. Plank, hairman of the Public Relations and Pubications Committee; Mr. Connard C. Cramp, hairman of the Guidance Services Comittee; Mr. Phillip W. Moore, Representave of the Instructional Materials Services ommittee; Mr. Charles G. Thomas, Chairan of the School Plant Committee; *Abnt*—Mrs. Pauline S. Obold, Chairman of e Instructional Materials Services Comittee.

Abbreviations

A Cappella	A Cap.
American Cheerleaders Association	A. C. A.
Accompanist	Acc.
Activity	Act.
Advanced Physical Education	Adv. Phy. Ed.
Alumni Service	Alumni Ser.
Announcement	Announ.
Archery	Arch.
Arxalma	Arx.
Assembly	Ass.
Assistant	Asst.
Audio Visual Aids Department	A. V. A.
Awards	Awd.
Baccalaureate	Bacc.
Badminton	Badmin.
Baseball	B. B.
Basketball	Bkt. B.
Bowling	Bowl.
Brass Choir	Br. Choir
Business	Bus.
Captain	Capt.
Castleaires	Cast.
Castle Court Jesters	C. C. J.
Chairman	Chr.
Cheerleader	C. L.
Chief	Ch.
Chorus	Chor.
Civic Pride Club	C. P. C.
Color Guard	Col. G.
Commencement	Commen.
Committee	Comm.
Concert	Con.
Construction	Constr.
Co-ordinator	Co-ord.
Council	Coun.
Cross Country	C. C.
Debating	Deb.
Decoration	Dec.
Director	Dir.
Eastern District Chorus	East. Dist. Chor.
Eastern District Orchestra	East. Dist. Orch.
Editor	Edit.
Education	Ed.
Ensemble	Ens.
Executive	Exec.
Feature	Feat.
Fellowship	Fel.
Flower	Flwr.
Football	Ft. B.
French	Fr.
Future Business Leaders of America	F. B. L. A.
Future Nurses of America	F. N. A.
Future Physicians of America	F. P. A.
Future Scientists of America	F. S. A.
Future Teachers of America	F. T. A.
German	Ger.
Girls' Athletic Association	G. A. A.
Girls' Chorus	G. Chor.
Girls' Glee Club	G. Glee Club
Gymnastics	Gym.
Hall Patrol	H. P.
Head	Hd.
Health and Safety	H. & S.
Homeroom	H. R.
Historian	Hist.
Intramural	Intra.
Junior Varsity	J. V.
Library Staff	Lib. Staff
Majorette	Maj.
Manager	Mgr.
Managing	Man.
Marching	March.
Messenger	Mes.
Mixed Chorus	Mix. Chor.
Mixed Ensemble	Mix. Ens.
Music	Mus.
National Honor Society	N. H. S.
Office	Off.
Orchestra	Orch.
Organist	Org.
Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association	P. I. A. A.
Pennsylvania School Press Association	P. S. P. A.
President	Pres.
Publicity	Pub.
Reading High School	R. H. S.
Receptionist	Recp.
Red and Black	R. & B.
Refreshment	Refresh.
Registered Nurse	R. N.
Representative	Rep.
Reservation	Res.
Reunion	Reun.
Russian	Russ.
Scrapbook	Scrap.
Secretary	Sc.
Security	Sec.
Senior	Sen.
Serve Our School	S. O. S.
Soccer	Socc.
Softball	Soft. B.
Stagehand	Stg. Hand
String	Str.
Student	St.
Swimming	Swim.
Tennis	Tenn.
Ticket	Tick.
Track	Tr.
Treasurer	Treas.
United Nations	U. N.
Varsity	Var.
Vice President	V. Pres.
Volleyball	Volley B.
Woodwind	Wood.
Welfare	Wel.
Wrestling	Wr.

Courses in High School

Business Education	Bus. Ed.
College Preparatory	C. P.
General	Gen.
Vocational Technical	Voc. Tech.

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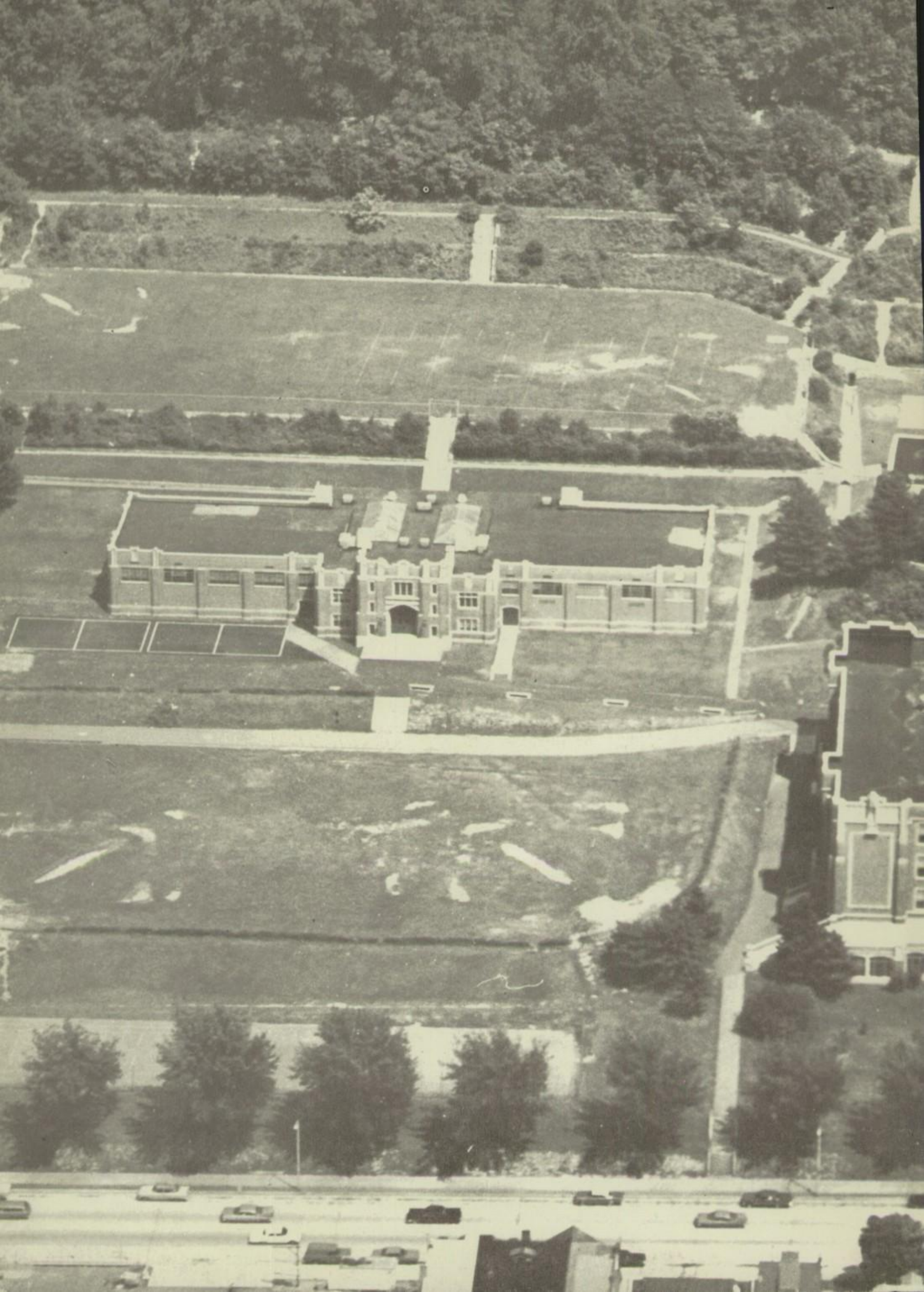
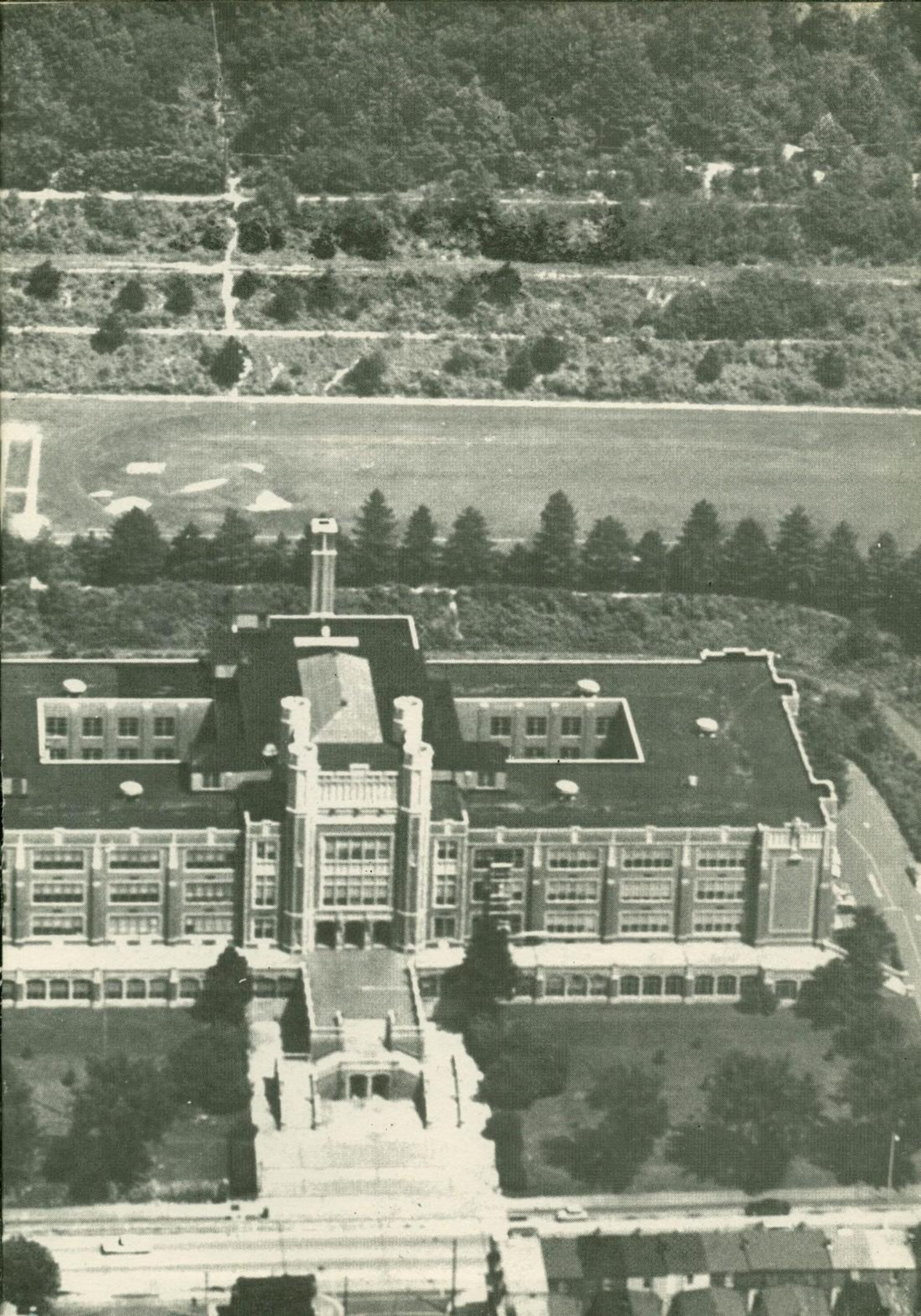
Always Remember me!

LOVE Kris

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